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NAVY SUPPLY BILL IS NOW IN CONFERENCE

Senate Has Made Numerous
Amendments to the Bill
Before Passage

FIGURES INCREASED

WITH a mass of amendments that were adopted in committee on the floor of the Senate the Naval Appropriation bill is now in the Joint Conference Committee of the two houses. Even the provision which authorizes the President to invite the great powers into another naval conference with a view to limiting ships that are included in the existing naval treaty was amended on the floor of the Senate. The largest increases in the bill which were placed there on the floor of the Senate are for shore stations.

The proposition for another naval conference was amended upon motion of Senator King to include other countries than Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan in the President's invitation. Senator Swanson secured the adoption of the amendment which would limit the number of men authorized when the new agreement was secured.

As the bill for the reorganization of the Naval Reserve will not pass in time for this summer's training period, two amendments to the appropriation bill were adopted on the floor of the Senate. One takes care of the Naval Militia and the other provides for the issuance of uniforms to the Volunteer Naval Reserves. The amendments provide:

That members of the Volunteer Naval Reserve may, in the discretion of the Secretary of the Navy, be issued such articles of uniform as may be required for their drills and training, the value thereof not to exceed that authorized to be issued to other classes of the Naval Reserve Force, and to be charged against the clothing and small-stores fund.

That until June 30, 1925, of the Organized Militia as provided by law, such part as may be duly prescribed in any State, territory, or for the District of Columbia, shall constitute a Naval Militia; and until June 30, 1925, such of the Naval Militia as now is in existence, and as now organized and prescribed by the Secretary of the Navy under authority of the act of Congress approved Feb. 16, 1914, shall be a part of the Naval Reserve Force, and the Secretary of the Navy is authorized to maintain and provide for said Naval Militia as provided in said act:

That upon their enrolment in the Naval Reserve Force, and not otherwise until June 30, 1925, the members of said Naval Militia shall have all the benefits, gratuities, privileges, and emoluments provided by law for other members of the Naval Reserve Force; and that, with the approval of the Secretary of the Navy, duty performed in the Naval Militia may be counted as active service for the maintenance of efficiency required by law for members of the Naval Reserve Force.

An amendment was adopted on the floor of the Senate for the transfer of \$100,000 from the Naval Supply Account. It provides that:

The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to transfer from the naval supply account fund an amount not exceeding \$100,000 for the establishment of a permanent special working fund, which shall be charged with the net proceeds of all sales of surplus and condemned stores, with refunds to bidders at sales and to special depositors, and with all labor, overhead, material, and services incident to work done not chargeable to naval appropriations, and which shall be credited with all funds received as payment or advances for surplus stores, for condemned stores, and for all expenses incident to work not chargeable to naval appropriations.

The expense of the relief of the Japa-

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FORMER CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER CONVINCING WITNESS FOR CURRY BILL IN HOUSE HEARING

C. S. PADGETT, a former commissioned chief warrant officer, who resigned from the Service shortly after the close of the war, was a very convincing witness before the House Committee on Military Affairs in the support of the Curry bill (H.R. 7072) on April 29. Mr. Padgett had the endorsement of the American Legion and a number of powerful organizations on the Pacific coast for Assistant Secretary of the Navy, on the assumption that Col. Roosevelt would be made Secretary of the Navy upon the retirement of Mr. Denby. Padgett is now a very successful business man on the coast, who happens to be in Washington at present.

In urging the passage of the bill, Mr. Padgett dwelt at considerable length on the last report of the Chief, Bureau of Navigation. He said that this, in connection with the testimony of Adm. Washington before the House Committee on Naval Affairs, amounted to a promise to the commissioned chief and warrant officers that any equalities of the Pay Act of 1922 would be corrected by Congress. Until this time, the commissioned chief and warrant officers had really made no effort to secure legislation, as they had relied on the Bureau of Navigation and those in authority for relief from what amounted to a reduction in their pay and allowances.

It was argued by Mr. Padgett that this treatment of the commissioned chief and warrant officers was having a demoralizing effect upon these officers, most of whom had won their commission by long and faithful service in the Navy. Despite the fact that this is the fourth hearing that has been accorded the commissioned chief and warrant officers, Mr. Padgett was before the committee for almost an hour.

ADM. COONTZ FOR GUN ELEVATION AND WARSHIP MODERNIZATION

THE deficiencies in the fleet, which in the recent maneuvers demonstrated that the American Navy is now actually below the treaty ratio, have been reported to the Navy Department by Adm. Coontz, commander-in-chief of the U.S. Fleet. Not only does Adm. Coontz urge the elevation of the turret guns of eleven of the older battleships and the conversion of the older battleships to oil burners, but he calls attention to the striking weakness of the air force and the submarines of the fleet. He describes a deteriorating condition of the ships which is due to lack of appropriations for maintenance of the fleet. Radio communication and facilities for it are inadequate, he declares.

In his report, Adm. Coontz urges the general tuning up of the units of the fleet, but emphasizes the importance of modernizing the battleships and the development of submarines which can operate effectively with the fleet. He declares that the submarine operations were the worst of all the combat ships.

In the course of his report Adm. Coontz said:

"In one of the problems during the maneuvers off Culebra the fleet speed contemplated was ten knots, which had to be reduced because of slowness of auxiliary ships.

"The condition of matériel of the fleet is not as good as it ought to be. There is what may be called a deferred maintenance, resulting from the Navy's inability to keep the ships properly repaired and up to date in the way of beneficial alterations, due mostly to insufficient appropriations. Under present conditions it will require a long time to overcome this so-called deferred maintenance.

"Lack of destroyer leaders has been keenly felt in all the problems. A destroyer squadron commander has a very considerable task, for present destroyers used as flagships have not that excess of offensive force, speed and reliability which they ought to have in order to lead. A commander is crowded to a degree incompatible with planning and for proper direction of the eighteen vessels under him.

"The Navy Department ordered boiler pressure of the Wyoming, Arkansas, Florida and Utah limited to 180 pounds, which

entails a maximum speed of fourteen knots with accompanying difficulties in the operation of auxiliary machinery. Boilers in bad shape. If a battleship is to last twenty years a program of reboiling and reconditioning should be placed in effect, analogous to replacement of guns. One is useless without the other. The sooner these ships are converted into oil burners and reboiled the better the fleet will be as a unit. The thirteen older battleships all need increasing the elevation of turret guns, thereby enabling all allowed us under the treaty to engage at approximately equally long ranges.

"Anti-aircraft batteries of the older ships are incomplete and this is the more serious because of the lack of aircraft carriers.

"Armored cruisers should be used for the midshipmen's practice cruise. Cruisers need to be built, of 10,000 tons, mounting 8-inch guns, as supports for the screen and as linking vessels. Maneuvers showed great deficiency.

Submarine operations were the worst of all combatant ships taking part. Design obsolete. Ventilation poor and at times non-existent. Unreliable. Holland boats of less radius and have drag when heavily loaded. All submarines are so deficient in speed as to be of small use for fleet work except by accident of position. Considering poor material, the work of personnel aboard these submarines is in many cases most admirable and even heroic.

"Minelayers had no opportunity to demonstrate usefulness. Great shortage of mines for such an expedition and a non-existence of modern mines, which deficiencies must be rectified.

"Lack of sufficient minesweepers for maneuvers and need of putting several more in commission. Machinery not very reliable, but considering size they function well. Lack of minesweeping gear—these boats should hereafter be required to have same always on hand. Need for studying and developing minesweeping at higher speeds.

"The one aircraft carrier (Langley) was supposed to carry fifty-eight planes and

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NAVAL EQUALIZATION PROSPECTS IMPROVING

Favorable Report Expected
to Come from the House
Military Committee

NAVY DEPT. APPROVES

THE situation in the House Committee on Naval Affairs took a turn for the better during the hearing on the bill for the equalization of promotion between the line and the staff of the Navy. There are now strong indications that in amended form, the bill will be reported favorably from the House Committee at the conclusion of the hearings, which will not extend for over a week.

The members of the House Committee indicated that they would listen to reason during the testimony of Rear Adm. Andrew T. Long. During Adm. Long's discussion of the bill, the entire committee punctuated his suggestions for amendments with affirmative nods. For a while it appeared as if the committee would agree on the bill before Adm. Long left the room.

The Chief of the Bureau of Navigation declared that the bill would be acceptable to him and expressed the opinion that it would contribute to the morale of the Service if it were amended so as not to increase the number of rear admirals in the staff to perform the functions of that part of the naval establishment.

He also declared that the bill should not carry additional rank to that now authorized by law for the chaplains and dentists. The members of the committee appeared to feel that Adm. Long had offered a solution of the program problem, and that with these amendments, the bill could be passed through the House without any serious opposition.

The pleasures of the occasion were disturbed somewhat by an uncalled for attack which Representative Britten of Illinois made upon Lt. Comdr. Lucian Williams (D.C.). It appears that officers of the Dental Corps had written some letters to the constituents of Mr. Britten. Mr. Britten's attitude toward the bill was described in a manner which thoroughly incensed the member from Illinois.

Mr. Britten began by asking if Comdr. Williams was in the room. When Comdr. Williams arose, Mr. Britten arraigned him very severely. It did not seem to have occurred to Mr. Britten that an officer of the Service has a right to make an appeal to his constituents for justice.

Comdr. J. S. McCain of the Bureau of Navigation, was again before the committee. He was called upon to explain the effects of a number of provisions of the bill which were puzzling the members of the committee. Comdr. McCain, who with Lt. Comdr. Edgar L. Woods, has been studying the bill ever since its approval by the Navy Department, is frequently being called upon informally to furnish information for the committee as to effects of the bill.

DEPTH FINDER TEST

TESTS have recently been made at the Washington Navy Yard of a new type of Sonic depth finder. It has been designed by R. Y. Russell, sound engineer at the Washington Navy Yard, and it is stated that it will make visual records from a depth of two to 200 fathoms.

PREPAREDNESS URGED BY CIVIC FEDERATION

Samuel Gompers Leads in Action Taken by the Convention

CIVILIAN AIDS ENDORSED

WITH Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, participating, members of the National Civic Federation, in convention at the Hotel Astor in New York city on April 24, passed a resolution urging co-operation with the Military Training Camps Association movement, and warning of the dangers of pacifism.

The resolution stated the Federation considered it a serious offense for any person or group of persons to make an attempt to pledge citizens to a violation of their constitutional obligations, and warned them of the inherent dangers in the sentimental appeals made by pacifists. This resolution was introduced by Mr. Gompers, who was chairman of the committee that sponsored it. The same committee advocated the co-operation of citizens generally with the Military Training Camps Association, and spoke of the work of the civilian aids to the Secretary of War in carrying out the provisions of the National Defense act.

The preamble to the resolution adopted read, in part: "Our citizens should be taught that we live under a constitution adopted by the people, which of necessity contemplates the possibility of war and vests the declaration thereof in the duly elected representatives of the people. For citizens to endeavor to diminish the possibility of war by all lawful agencies is commendable. To resist its operation when lawfully declared is treasonable."

Officers elected by the Federation include Alton B. Parker, president; Samuel Gompers, vice president; and D. L. Coase, secretary.

LINE SELECTION BOARD TO CONVENE JUNE 2

THE selection board for line officers of the Navy will convene at the Navy Department on June 2 instead of May 20 as previously announced.

The following officers will constitute the board:

Adms. E. W. Eberle, Chief of Naval Operations; R. E. Coontz, commander-in-chief, U.S. Fleet; S. S. Robison, commander-in-chief, Battle Fleet; Rear Adms. Marbury Johnson, president, Naval Examining Board, Navy Dept.; C. S. Williams, president, Naval War College; Hilary P. Jones and Joseph Strauss, General Board; W. R. Shoemaker, Naval Operations; C. F. Hughes, War College course; Lt. Comdr. W. A. Edwards, recorder.

CHANGES TO BE MADE IN BATTLE FLEET OFFICERS

A LARGE number of changes in the important positions in the Battle Fleet will be made upon the completion of target practice on about June 1. Capt. Yates Sterling, commanding the U.S.S. New Mexico, will be relieved by Capt. Frank Brumby, Capt. Sterling relieving Capt. Brumby, captain of the yard, at the navy yard, Washington. Capt. J. F. Hines, commanding the U.S.S. Pennsylvania, will be relieved by Capt. Harris Laning of the staff of the Navy War College, Capt. Hines going to the War College as a student.

New executive officers have been ordered to five of the ten battleships now with the Battle Fleet. These changes are as follows:

Comdr. R. T. Menner of the U.S.S. California relieved by Comdr. M. S. Davis, Comdr. Menner going to command of the U.S.S. Prometheus as the relief of Capt. H. W. Osterhaus. Comdr. H. A. Baldrige of the U.S.S. Tennessee relieved by Comdr. J. V. Babcock; Comdr. Baldrige relieving Capt. B. B. Wygant in command of the U.S.S. Melville.

Comdr. F. C. Martin of the U.S.S. Mississippi and Comdr. J. D. Willson, commanding the U.S.S. Neches, will exchange duty. Comdr. C. E. Smith of the U.S.S. Pennsylvania will be relieved by Comdr. C. S. Kerrick, Comdr. Smith relieving Comdr. O. C. Dowling in command of the U.S.S. Kanawha. Comdr. Abram Claude of the U.S.S. Nevada will be relieved by Comdr. E. S. Root, commander Claude relieving Comdr. W. S. Anderson in command of Destroyer Division 34 of the Battle Fleet.

Comdr. W. H. Allen, commanding U.S.S. S. Aroostook, will be relieved by Comdr. W. H. Van Auken. Comdr. D. W. Bagley, commanding Destroyer Division 35 of the Battle Fleet, will be detached on May 10 and ordered to report to the Naval Academy for duty.

Capt. H. H. Christy, commanding U.S.S. California, will probably also be relieved upon the completion of the gunnery year and ordered to the Navy War College.

TORPEDO LAUNCHED BY PLANE UNDER WATER

THE first subsurface launching of a torpedo from an airplane was recently inadvertently accomplished at the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla. A student pilot, while engaged in torpedo launching practice with a training plane, misjudged his distance from the surface of the water and dove into Pensacola Bay about 100 yards in advance of the point for launching the torpedo. The plane was submerged and came to the surface minus the torpedo, which became released while the plane was under water and made a perfect run of 300 yards at the target ship.

The target ship hastened to the assistance of the pilot of the wrecked plane and thereby avoided a direct hit from the torpedo. A thorough search on the part of the pilot, who was uninjured, and the crews of several small boats who went to his assistance failed to disclose the torpedo on the plane. The pilot of a nearby plane had seen the torpedo start on its run when the plane to which it was attached dove into the water and followed it, retrieving it at the end of its run. The torpedo plane was wrecked, but the pilot escaped with only a ducking.

SECRETARY OF WAR PRAISES N.Y.Q.M.O.R.C.

NEW YORK Reserve quartermasters have progressed to such a point in their instruction and allotted peace-time tasks that on the conclusion of their "Winter Plattsburg" the Secretary of War addressed a telegram to this group congratulating them on their efforts towards the quartermaster preparedness program. Col. Franklin Q. Brown, Q.M.O.R.C., a New York banker, directing head of this group, is ably assisted by Lt. Col. W. A. Dempsey, Q.M.O.R.C.

In so far as is practicable, each one of the 432 officers assigned to the New York Quartermaster Intermediate Depot has been placed with the branch for which he is best qualified, according to his civilian occupation. To assist in solution of Quartermaster problems, an advisory board has been formed, the personnel composed of men associated with large concerns dealing in packing house products, clothing, coal, forage, canned goods, wool, dairy products, cotton, meats, oils, general subsistence, shoes, motor vehicles, marine equipment, and fuels.

INSTRUCTION PROGRAM FOR CORRESPONDENCE

PREPARATION of programs of instruction for all branch correspondence courses, and for a Command and General Staff correspondence course, are now being studied by a board of officers, which is working under the general supervision of the Assistant Chief of Staff for operations and training. The board, of which Lt. Col. Edward Davis, Cav., is president, has already held several meetings which are likely to last for some time. The other members of the board are Lt. Col. Wait C. Johnson, G.S. (Inf.), Maj. Karl Truesdell, S. C. Burton, K. Yount, A.S., Harvey D. Higley, F.A., Edward A. Stockton, Jr., C.A.C., Capt. John W. Leonard, Inf., and Daniel Noce, C.E., 1st Lt. Harrison W. Johnson, S.C., and Dr. A. J. Klein.

LIST OF AIR SERVICE TECHNICAL SERGEANTS

Six of This Grade Are Due for Early Retirement in Coming Year

LIST NOW TOTALS 107

OF the list of 107 technical sergeants, Air Service, U.S.A., which was prepared in the War Department as of April 20, six of this number will be eligible for early retirement due to the completion of their thirty years of active service. Those who are slated for early retirement are Paul L. Coble, Langley Field, Va.; Floyd B. Haney, Panama; David Reeves, Philippine Islands; John F. Brown, Langley Field, Va.; Nick Roeser, Panama, and George Commins, Bolling Field, Anacostia, D.C. There are two vacancies in this grade at present, the authorized strength being 109 technical sergeants. Following is the list of technical sergeants, Air Service, with station as indicated:

Litherland, G. D., Scott; Hohorst, W. F., Lakehurst, N.J.; Maricle, C. M., Scott; Stout, G., Langley; Folz, W. H., Scott; Arnold, W., Langley; Burnham, S. C., Hawaii; Nelmar, J. H., Brooks; Smith, C. P., Brooks; Barrett, C. G., Hawaii.

Berthume, M., Scott; Starkey, B. T., Scott; Mansfield, W. J., Scott; Brown, L. E., Kelly; Maloney, F. B., Fort Bliss, Texas; Carducci, Fred, Fort Riley; Schupert, W. O., Mitchell; Reitano, P. D., Selfridge; Piriskey, J., Chanute; McIntyre, G., Scott.

Nelson, O. H., Scott; Haymes, C., Langley; Lieby, C. C., Chanute; Hayes, H. F., Langley; Dossett, O. L., Panama; Johnson, D., Langley; Terry, E., Chanute; Fritiofson, C. A., Selfridge; Turner, A. H., Crissy; Auran, R. P., Chanute; Brown, E., Chanute; Meek, G. M., Chanute; Davis, F. S., Kelly; Sweeney, D. E., Philippines; Teller, A. J., Crissy; Nendell, E. F., Kelly; Bonner, J. S., Maxwell; Gramling, C. H., Mitchell; Stein, J. J., Bolling; Ross, J., Mitchell; Smith, H., Panama; George, C., Mitchell; Mills, B. M., Panama; Crevier, L. R., Panama; Travis, R. B., Langley; Cade, J. A., Aberdeen; Cooper, E. L., Kelly; Leitch, DeW., Langley; Granger, A. C., Kelly; Meloney, C. S., Kelly.

Shaw, W. E., Philippines; Ketchum, M. E., Kelly; McCormick, W. V., Kelly; Haney, F. B., Panama; Butcher, J. E., Bolling; Hornby, R., Panama; Coble, P. L., Langley; Wadsworth, F. O., Selfridge; Wolf, C. F., Philippines; Sparks, G. M., Selfridge.

Shaw, F. D., Selfridge; Zauner, J., Selfridge; Crowder, H., Mitchell; Roeser, N., Panama; Flynn, L. B., Wilbur Wright; Bills, H. F., Brooks; Bredvad, K., Brooks; Smith, J. T., Brooks; Medcalf, W. D., Hawaii; Kelsey, O. R., Hawaii.

Redfern, W. R., Kelly; Hall, Oliver, Hawaii; Wells, E. J., Aberdeen; Budoff, C., Langley; Huff, J. H., Langley; O'Brian, C. L., Kelly; Reeves, D., Philippines; Brockway, W. B., Bolling; Inman, H., Crissy; Duffin, E. H., Kelly.

Hughes, W. C., Aberdeen; Rudisael, E. P., Hawaii; Crawley, J. H., Kelly; Spoor, W. W., Chanute; Doirant, H. A., Kelly; Nowak, S., Selfridge; Kindergarten, J., Selfridge; Brugh, F. E., Post; Zielinsky, C., Philippines; Wallace, B., Kelly.

Magoun, C. E., Kelly; Kenyon, W. H., Kelly; Levy, H., Kelly; Collins, E. M., Selfridge; Marquart, W. R., Selfridge; Brown, J. F., Langley; Grimbly, J. T., Philippines; Dorcy, B. H., Kelly; Madden, T. E., Kelly; Williams, J. K., Kelly.

Lucy, W. D., Panama; White, J. W., Philippines; Kelly, T. J., Brooks; Cummins, G., Bolling; Hewitt, H. H., Selfridge; Oswald, F., Hawaii; Parker, P. W., Brooks.

SCHOOL FOR STATE ADJUTANTS GENERAL

THE school of instruction in Washington, D.C., to be attended by the Adjutants General of all states and the District of Columbia National Guard, will be held May 5-10, inclusive. The sessions of the school will consist of conferences on various subjects, to be followed by a general conference of all Adjutants General. The following are expected to attend:

Brig. Gen. H. A. Moon, Ala.; Col. C. W. Harris, Ariz.; Brig. Gen. H. L. McAlister, Ark.; Col. R. E. Mittelstat, Calif.; Col. P. P. Newlon, Colo.; Brig. Gen. G. M. Cole, Conn.; Lt. Col. J. A. Ellison, Del.; Capt. P. C. Nevitt, D.C.; Col. J. C. R. Foster, Fla.; Maj. C. H. Cox, Ga.; Lt. Col. H. A. Padgham, Idaho; Brig. Gen. C. E. Black, Ill.; Brig. Gen. H. B. Smith, Ind.; Brig. Gen. L. G. Lasher, Iowa; Brig. Gen. R. N. Rain, Kas.;

Brig. Gen. J. A. Kehoe, Ky.; Lt. Col. L. Brokaw, La.; Brig. Gen. J. W. Hanson, Maine; Brig. Gen. M. A. Reckord, Md.; Brig. Gen. J. F. Stevens, Mass.; Col. J. S. Bersey, Mich.; Brig. Gen. W. F. Rhinow, Minn.; Col. C. T. Green, Miss.; Brig. Gen. W. A. Krupp, Mo.; Lt. Col. C. L. Sheridan, Mont.; Col. H. J. Paul, Nebr.; Brig. Gen. C. W. Howard, N.H.; Brig. Gen. F. Gillyson, N.J.; Lt. Col. J. W. Skipwith, N.M.; Col. E. J. Westcott, N.Y.; Brig. Gen. J. Van B. Metts, N.C.; Col. G. A. Fraser, N.D.; Brig. Gen. F. D. Henderson, Ohio; Maj. Gen. B. H. Markham, Okla.; Brig. Gen. G. A. White, Ore.; Brig. Gen. F. D. Beary, Pa.; Brig. Gen. J. J. Richards, R. I.; Brig. Gen. R. E. Craig, S.C.; Col. W. A. Hazle, S.D.; Col. W. C. Boyd, Tenn.; Brig. Gen. T. D. Barton, Texas; Lt. Col. W. G. Williams, Utah; Col. H. T. Johnson, Vt.; Brig. Gen. W. W. Sale, Va.; Brig. Gen. M. Thompson, Wash.; Col. J. R. Crarnock, W.Va.; Brig. Gen. R. M. Immell, Wis.; Lt. Col. W. F. Davis, Wyo.

BATTLE FLEET IS GIVEN A WARM WELCOME HOME

THE Battle Fleet on its return to the bases at San Pedro and San Diego was warmly welcomed by the citizens of Southern California. Upon the arrival of the flagship California and Battleship Divisions at San Pedro, Calif., Mayor Croy of Los Angeles, accompanied by a number of prominent citizens, called on Adm. Robison, commander-in-chief of the Battle Fleet, and welcomed the fleet. Arrangements were made by the citizens of Los Angeles, Long Beach and San Pedro to entertain the officers and men of the fleet.

A reception was given on the afternoon of April 23 to the officers at San Pedro, and that evening a dance was given for the enlisted men. On April 24, the citizens of Long Beach gave a reception and dance at the Hotel Virginia for the officers and their families, and on Friday the enlisted men were entertained at a baseball game and at several dances.

At San Diego Adm. R. E. Coontz, commander-in-chief, U.S. Fleet, and Rear Adm. F. H. Schofield, commander Destroyer Squadrons, Battle Fleet, were guests of honor at an informal luncheon on April 23, at the Cuyamaca Club. The following evening the Hotel Coronado gave a dance in honor of the officers and their families.

RETURN TO U.S. FROM HONOLULU

THE following officers sailed from Honolulu April 17 for San Francisco on the transport Somme: On leave, Lt. Col. F. B. Edwards, 55th Art.; Capt. G. Blaney, 55th Art.; R. M. Butler, M.C.; Joseph M. Cole, 41st Art.; L. R. Crews, C.A.C.; Albert Mossman, C.A.C.; J. B. Varela, C.A.C.; S. A. Wood, Jr., D.O.L. Inf.; 1st Lts. P. T. Gregory, C.A.C.; V. Schmidt, 41st Art.; C. H. Swick, 3d Engrs.; Maj. L. J. McNair, F.A.; G. D. Hufford, 27th Inf.; Earle Robbins, D.C.; J. A. McCallam, V.C.; R. R. Johnston. On leave at E.T.F.S. and to participate in Army try-outs Olympic games; Capt. R. G. Ferris, 27th Inf.; Capt. C. W. Mays, 13th F.A.; 1st Lts. Edwin Kerr, 13th F.A.; P. W. Allison, 8th F.A.; R. D. Sproull, 8th F.A.; 2d Lts. G. H. Bare, 21st Inf.; L. W. Call, 64th Art. Members of Engineers rifle team, 1st Lt. F. O. Borman and M. C. Grenata, 3d Engrs. Returning to U.S. for leave, Col. L. R. Burgess, C.A.C.; Capt. R. G. Hunter, 13th F.A.; S. W. Root, 11th F.A.; 1st Lts. W. B. Clarke, A.S.; F. A. Johnson, A.S.; R. Morrison, A.S.; J. B. Willis, 19th Inf.; Warrant Officer W. F. Baker, Army Field Clerk W. Redmond.

COURSE AT ADVANCE AIR SERVICE SCHOOL

THE following officers of the Air Service, U.S.A., who have completed their training at the Air Service Primary Flying School, Brooks Field, Texas, are now taking their training at the Advanced School, Kelly Field, Texas.

Capt. H. H. Young, 2d Lts. N. P. Beasley, H. W. Downing, D. S. Ellerthorpe, J. M. Fitzmaurice, C. W. Gettys, H. K. Greenlaw, G. C. Jamison, A. O. Johnson, C. W. Lawrence, B. K. Morse, H. T. Rowland, W. L. Scott, B. Stern, M. K. Voeish.

CORPS OF CADETS

WEST POINT, N.Y.

IN order to enable Army teams to compete with those of highest caliber, and more particularly with those from the great eastern colleges, a number of trips for cadet teams have been authorized. Such trips will involve practically no loss of Academic time and will certainly further Army athletics. Of the fall sports, two football games, in addition to the Navy game, are already scheduled to be played on foreign fields; and the soccer team is allowed one game away from West Point.

Two trips are authorized for the basketball team, one for hockey, and one for swimming; and the fencing team will attend the intercollegiate matches in New York. Both baseball and lacrosse may have two games scheduled away from home, while track, golf and tennis may each have one such game. The polo team will attend the intercollegiate championship matches held, usually, on the first Saturday of May.

Each game authorized away from West Point means that a home and none agreement may be made with two colleges.

SUNDAY, April 27, Mr. Philip C. Staib, one of the directors of a New York importing firm, spoke on "Man's First Requisite," at the Y.M.C.A. meeting. His talk gave a number of interesting sidelights on the task of supplying food for a city like New York.

CADET W. P. CHAMPLAIN has been elected captain of the Army fencing team for the year 1924-25.

THE first regimental parade of the year was held on Sunday, April 27.

IT was necessary to suspend both the hop and the picture show for April 26.

GEN. FRIES, a member of the American Chemist Society, and Chief of the Chemical Warfare Service, lectured to the second class at West Point on April 23, on chemistry in war. The lecture was illustrated by slides and motion pictures showing some few of the applications of chemistry to warfare, especially to smoke screens and poison gases.

THE Army defeated Lehigh University in a hotly contested tennis match, at West Point, April 26. Mercur was the star of the Lehigh team, while Baldwin did excellent work for the Army.

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY and Army golf teams played to a 3-3 tie at the Storm King Golf Club, Cornwall-on-Hudson, April 26.

RESERVE OFFICERS' ASS'N

THE Hennepin County Medical Society has offered an annual prize of \$50 to the R.O.T.C. member of the junior medical class at the University of Minnesota who submits the best essay on a military subject, according to an announcement issued by Lt. Col. H. H. Rutherford, M.C., in charge of the Medical R.O.T.C. unit at that institution.

It is understood that the essays, which will be submitted at about the close of the school year, will be limited to 5,000 words each. The winning paper selected by the judges becomes the property of the Hennepin County Medical Society.

THE 4th Congressional District Chapter of the Georgia R.O.A., was formed at Columbus, Ga., on April 15. A branch at Fort Benning may also result. Georgia has done well with this important work.

SPRINGFIELD Chapter No. 1, R.O.A. of U.S. (Massachusetts Department), held its April meeting, April 24, at Hotel Kimball, Springfield, Mass. Addresses were given by Col. Walter C. Sweeney, G.S., and Maj. Burton A. Adams, late base censor at Paris, spoke on "Censorship."

The chapter has over 100 members at present and is growing steadily.

THE 5th District Reserve Officers' Association has been very active, and its monthly meetings at Terre Haute have been well attended. They have succeeded in getting the business men's luncheon clubs to set aside special dates for national defense programs, at which speeches have been made by officers of the Regular Army and Organized Reserve. The Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club, Lions and Exchange Club have each set aside dates for this purpose, and have extended cordial receptions to speakers.

NAVY YARD NOTES

THE Navy Department insists that there is no foundation for the reports that there have been unnecessary delays in the work at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. What delay there has been in the work on ships at the yard has been due to the failure of private concerns to make prompt deliveries of material at the yard.

Attention is called to the rapidity of the work on the Raleigh, in the insulation of the fire control system. The Raleigh is now on a shake-down trip in Chesapeake Bay, preparatory to an extensive cruise abroad. During the week, she visited Annapolis, where the midshipmen and upper class men inspected the ship as an example of the latest word in light cruiser construction and equipment.

Considerable delay has been experienced in securing deliveries for the installation of the new transmission cables for the Colorado at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. This work at the yard has been proceeding as rapidly as the cables have been received. It is estimated that this extensive improvement on the Colorado will be completed not later than June 15. Standardization trials and calibration will follow, and the Colorado will then proceed to the Pacific to join the Battle Fleet.

The West Virginia was originally scheduled for the completion of its fire control installation by June 14 at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. It is indicated now, due to the excellent progress of the work, that this date will be anticipated and the ship will sail from Hampton Roads about June 15, carrying the naval representatives to the Olympic games in France. Upon completion of this duty, the West Virginia will continue her shake-down cruise, which will be followed by the usual acceptance trials. She will then join the Battle Fleet in the early fall.

THE Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department, will shortly advertise for competitive bids on the project for remodeling of the building at Brooklyn Navy Yard for quarters for the marine force. Although built in 1864 the building is still in sufficiently good condition for remodeling. A contract for a \$30,775 improvement on the central power plant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard has been let by the Bureau of Yards and Docks. It provides for a pneumatic type for the ejection of ashes as a substitute for the steam jet ash ejector system now in use.

BIDS were received April 23 for a sub-surface magazine at the ammunition depot at the Puget Sound Navy Yard.

WHEN the Bureau of Engineering has completed its work on the radio telephone sets at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, the commanders of warships when they anchor in the vicinity of New York will be able to call up the yard and other stations in Manhattan and Brooklyn. A similar set of radio telephones will be installed at Guantanamo and Newport.

FREQUENT conferences are now being held between the representatives of the Coast Guard and bureau chiefs of the Navy Department, to determine what improvements and repairs must be made upon the twenty destroyers which the Navy will shortly turn over to the Coast Guard. New radio sets may be installed on all the old destroyers.

MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS ASSOCIATION

MR. EDWARD CURF SAMMONS, vice president of the United States National Bank of Portland, has been appointed civilian aid to the Secretary of War for the state of Oregon.

FLORIDA scored heavily on April 4 when she secured her full quota just three months before the opening of the Citizens' Camps in the 4th Corps Area, under the leadership of Prof. B. C. Riley, of the State University, civilian aid to the Secretary of War.

A DISTINGUISHED addition to the Secretary of War's list of civilian aids has been made for the state of Washington in Brig. Gen. Clarence B. Blethen, Wash. N.G., the editor of the Seattle Times.

MR. GRESHAM H. POE, 8 South street, Baltimore, has been nominated as civilian aid for the state of Maryland and is opening an office at 11 West Fayette street in charge of Chaplain J. Monroe Stick.

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NOTES FROM THE BATTLE FLEET

NINE battleships and thirty-one destroyers, of the Battle Fleet with the hospital ship, U.S.S. Relief, and the tankers Neches and Cuyama, left Panama on April 12 for San Diego. The U.S. S. Beaver and Submarine Divisions 16 and 17, Melville, Altair, Procyon, Prometheus and several mine sweepers proceeded independently ahead of the fleet. On the trip north, the fleet engaged in tactical maneuvers and drills preparatory to target practice.

On April 19 and 20, the destroyers refueled from the tankers; the battleships proceeding for San Pedro, Calif., and anchoring there at 8.30 a.m., on April 22. The destroyers after fueling proceeded to their base at San Diego, Calif., arriving April 22.

THE U.S.S. Seattle, Flagship of Adm. R. E. Coontz, left Balboa late April 12 for San Diego, proceeding independently. The Seattle remained at Balboa in order that Adm. Coontz might give a reception to the President of Panama and other guests from Panama and the Canal Zone. The Seattle arrived in San Diego, April 22, and after coaling proceeded, on April 25, for the navy yard, Puget Sound.

THE U.S.S. Kanawha left Panama ahead of the Battle Fleet for Amalapa, Honduras, to fuel the U.S.S. Milwaukee and to give her necessary supplies and provisions. Upon the completion of this duty the Kanawha joined the Battle Fleet on its way North.

THE U.S.S. Beaver and Submarine Divisions 16 and 17, under the command of Capt. G. C. Day, stopped at Magdalena Bay en route from Panama to San Diego to fuel the U.S.S. Widgeon and R-9. The latter ships proceeded directly from Magdalena Bay to Pearl Harbor while the remainder proceeded to San Diego, where they will base until about the middle of May.

THE overhaul schedule for the U.S.S. Omaha, flagship of the Destroyer Squadron, Battle Fleet, for all destroyer tenders and for the ships of the Fleet Base Force in the Pacific, has been approved by the Navy Department.

The schedule is as follows:
Overhaul at Navy Yard, Puget Sound:
Omaha, Sept. 29 to Nov. 17.

Overhaul at Navy Yard, Mare Island:
Neches, April 26-June 30; Melville, May 3-June 14; Argonne, June 2 to indefinite; Altair, June 23-Aug. 9; Kingfisher and Ortolan, July 1-July 31; Procyon, July 10-Aug. 25; Widgeon, July 24-Aug. 6; Brant, Aug. 1-Aug. 30; Kanawha, Aug. 23-Oct. 8; Partridge, Sept. 1-Sept. 30; Gannet, Oct. 1-Oct. 31; Cuyama, Oct. 6-Nov. 17; Relief and Arrostook, Nov. 15-Dec. 31; Tern, Dec. 1-Dec. 31.

Due to unforeseen delays the overhaul schedule for the U.S.S. Reno has been extended from May 1 to May 12, and for the U.S.S. Doyen from May 1 to May 20. Both vessels are at the navy yard, Puget Sound.

THE U.S.S. Hull and Corry, both equipped with sonic depth finders, were detailed to make a deepsea survey from Seattle to Seward, Alaska, in connection with the laying of the Alaska cable by the War Department. The survey was completed on April 15, and the ships turned toward Seattle, when they intercepted messages stating that Maj. Martin of the Army "Around the World Flight Detachment" had made a forced landing about 200 miles from Seward. Both vessels ran full speed for the scene of landing, and picked up Maj. Martin and Sgt. Harvey with their plane. The aviators were landed at Kanatoka, Portage Bay, the destroyers than proceeding to Seward, Alaska, for fuel.

On April 19 Maj. Clayton Bisset, Army Air Service, advance officer, "Around the World Flight," requested the commander-in-chief, Battle Fleet, to send a destroyer to carry an airplane motor from Sitka to Unalaska. Orders were immediately issued to the Corry, then 200 miles from Sitka, to return to Sitka and transport the necessary supplies to Unalaska. The Corry on arrival at Sitka found that the engine had been shipped to Juneau. The Corry, after obtaining aircraft spare parts, left for Juneau, obtained the engine and arrived Unalaska on April 26.

THE Battle Fleet rifle match was fired at Fort Clayton, Canal Zone. The

match was won by the team from the Arizona, the Mississippi being second and the New Mexico third.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made by the commander-in-chief, Battle Fleet, for the annual training cruises of the Naval Reserves in the 11th, 12th and 13th Districts. Each battleship can accommodate five officers and forty men and each destroyer two officers and fifteen men of the Reserves. The Reserves from the vicinity of Los Angeles and San Diego will be taken aboard in groups from May 1 to June 25, and from Oct. 1 to Dec. 28; Reservists living in the vicinity of San Francisco, from Sept. 4 to 28, and the Reserves from the Northwest from July 1 to Aug. 31. During these periods the fleet will be engaged in tactical maneuvers, target practice, etc., thus affording excellent training for both officers and men. The Reserves who are unable to leave their business during the above periods will be given training cruises in the Eagle boats attached to each naval district.

THE Navy Department has approved the trial installation on the U.S.S. California of a new berthing arrangement for the crew. It is proposed to install bunks in the various compartments which will fold up against the bulkhead when not in use, similar to those now used in destroyers. This new arrangement will not only be more comfortable than hammocks, but will provide more space.

ARRANGEMENTS were made on the arrival of the Battle Fleet at San Pedro to start a daily mail plane service between the Battle Fleet at San Pedro and the Destroyer and Aircraft Squadrons at San Diego. This service makes possible the efficient conduct of official business between the various units of the Battle Fleet, although they are separated by a distance of ninety miles.

ADM. R. E. COONTZ, commander-in-chief, U.S. Fleet, and Adm. S. S. Robison, commander-in-chief, Battle Fleet, have been detailed to temporary duty on the selection board to meet in Washington, June 2. Adm. Robison will probably leave Los Angeles, May 28. During his absence Vice Adm. H. A. Wiley will be in command of the Battle Fleet.

THE U.S.S. Rappahannock will be decommissioned at the navy yard, Mare Island, as soon as her services as a fleet supply ship can be spared.

NAVY NOTES

AUTHORITY for the erection of a mooring mast for the airship Shenandoah at Camp Lewis, Wash., was recently granted by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur. The Navy Department will commence the erection of the mast in the near future. The mooring mast, to be of the portable type, will serve as a shore base for possible operations of the Shenandoah with the fleet in the Pacific, as well as a Pacific terminal for trans-continental flights by either the Shenandoah or the airship ZR-3, now under construction in Germany for this country.

THE Secretary of the Navy has written to sixty educational institutions asking for the designation of junior engineer students who would be permitted to go aboard the fleet from July 1 to July 15 to study the machinery of the Navy. This is a rare opportunity for engineer students.

THE U.S. light cruiser Memphis, a vessel of 7,500 tons normal displacement, was launched at Philadelphia, Pa., April 17, 1924. She was christened by Elizabeth Rowlett Paine, five-year-old daughter of the Mayor of Memphis, Tenn. The Mayor, surrounded by a party from Memphis, witnessed the ceremony.

The Memphis has a length overall of 555 feet six inches, a breadth of 55 feet, an estimated shaft horsepower of 90,000, and an estimated speed of 33.7. She will be equipped with Parsons turbines and twelve boilers and will burn oil. The main battery of the Memphis will comprise twelve 6-inch guns, and in her secondary battery she will have four 3-inch 50-caliber A.A. She will have four torpedo tubes. Her complement will be nineteen ward room officers, ten warrant officers, twenty-nine petty officers and 390 men.

SPECIAL WASHINGTON SERVICE NEWS LETTER

by E. B. JOHNS

Washington Correspondent of the Army and Navy Journal

NOTICE

DUE to the fact that the building in which the present Washington office of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL is located is soon to be torn down, the office of the Washington correspondent hereafter will be No. 207 The Evans Building, New York avenue, between 14th and 15th streets.

The new location is just around the corner from the old one, at the point where 15th street, Pennsylvania avenue and New York avenue meet just in front of the Treasury Building.

IF the Committee on Military Affairs does not have a day the latter part of this week it will have the right of way in the House on May 14. Acting Chairman McKenzie has held several conferences with the leaders of the House and has a promise that the Military Committee will have at least two days during the session at which bills that have been reported out of the Military Committee will be brought up for consideration.

Before the committee's program is submitted to the House, Acting Chairman McKenzie will go over the situation very carefully to determine what would be the wisest course in taking up the different bills that are now pending before the House. Although the bill which amends the Pay act principally by correcting the Comptroller's decisions was the first one to come out of the Military Committee, it is not probable that this will be the first one to be taken up in the House. Mr. McKenzie already has intimations from the leaders of the House that there will be opposition to this bill, and a discussion might result that would consume practically all of the time allotted the Military Committee. The entire question of the scope of the authority of the Comptroller General will be gone into in hearings before the Judiciary Committee on the Dallinger and Madden bills, and it is urged that the House should await a report from that source before it takes action on the bill that has been reported out of the Military Committee.

It is generally agreed among the more active members of the House Committee on Military Affairs that the most important bill which has been reported out is the one amending the National Defense act. This bill carries an increase in the number of non-commissioned officers in the higher grades of the Regular Army. In practically the same form it was reported out of the House Committee on Military Affairs last session and was passed by the Senate. It has been passed again this session by the Senate and all that remains to make it a law is action by the House, although some differences must be worked out in the joint conference committee.

The second bill of importance that has been reported from the Military Committee is the Hull bill for the Equalization of the Pay for Retired Officers of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps. This bill is rapidly developing strength in both the Senate and the House, and its friends will insist that it be given the second place when the military bills are under consideration. It is believed the passage of the bill by the Senate will be a comparatively simple proposition if it once gets through the House.

A bill (H.R. 8886) introduced by Acting Chairman McKenzie for a number of amendments to the National Defense act for the National Guard and reported out this week will also be brought up early in the session given to the Military Committee. It is believed that there will be no opposition to the bill and that it will consume very little time in the House.

In urging the consideration of bills which have been reported out, Acting Chairman McKenzie has called the attention of the leaders to the fact that the House had not passed any military legislation of importance since the adoption of the Curry-Anthony bill reducing the number of officers of the Army that had been eliminated under a previous amendment to the appropriation bill fixing the number of officers of the Regular Army at 12,000. Really, Congress has enacted no big military legislation since the passage of the amended National Defense act. Mr.

McKenzie insists that the time has arrived when Congress should give some time to the Army.

NAVAL APPROPRIATIONS IN SENATE

MORE time was given to the discussion of the amendment to the Navy bill by which it is sought to overcome the effect of the Noce decision than to any other feature of the measure. Not only Chairman Hale, but Chairman Wadsworth of the Military Committee rushed to the support of the amendment. They were also able to enlist Senator Swanson of Virginia, McKellar of Tennessee and Pepper of Pennsylvania.

Against this array, Senator Brookhart of Iowa stood alone, and he kept this powerful group busy during an extended running debate. From the remarks submitted by the supporters of the bill it was apparent that both the Navy and War Departments have been actively engaged in preparing material with which to combat the lone friend of the junior officers of the Army and Navy. As far as that is concerned, the fight against the junior officers was started way back in January of last year, when the chairman of the Appropriations Committee wrote to former Representative Patrick Kelley of Michigan. Mr. Kelley stated that it was not his understanding that the act of 1920 gave to officers, cadets and midshipmen service as was decided by the Court of Claims.

All of the arguments against cadet and Naval Academy service were marshaled in a very skilful manner by Chairman Hale and Chairman Wadsworth and Senator Swanson. They had Senator Brookhart at a disadvantage, as they were acquainted with the history of military legislation. Another thing that militated against the junior officers was that the Senate was rushing to get through with its legislative program and was very impatient at any discussion and almost uniformly sustained the committee throughout the consideration of the bill.

With only a lone friend actively combating the amendment, although the vote was far from being one-sided, the amendment was adopted. The only favorable action that the junior officers secured was a letter from Secretary of the Navy Wilbur to Chairman Hale of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs. Despite this letter it is known that some of the older naval officers went to the Capitol and furnished arguments for the supporters of the amendment.

THE SLACKER VOW

NOW comes Jane Addams and asserts that the Women's International League for Peace has never adopted the slacker vow. Miss Addams gave out this statement just previous to the convention which is now being held in Washington apparently to counteract the flood of protest that is coming from the patriotic men and women of the country against the near treasonable activities of this organization. Its leaders begin to realize that they have gone too far in their boring-from-within activities.

However, a reliable report of the conference of 1922 of the United States Section of the W.I.L. indicates that the "Slacker's Vow" was not adopted because it was decided that it would not be wise to openly espouse it as a qualification of membership.

A resolution providing for its adoption was introduced by Miss Mary Windsor as a "prerequisite of membership." It was supported by some of the most influential members of the conference. Mrs. Harry Connor Brown, wife of the Chief of the Bureau of Efficiency, who is responsible for the misleading statistics on the cost of preparedness, got out a pamphlet the year before called "American Menace of Militarism." She submitted a pledge and urged its adoption as a test for membership. Mrs. Brown's pledge was based on the slacker's oath set forth in her pamphlet. It reads:

"Go to war if you want to, but know

this: We have pledged ourselves not to give our children, not to encourage or nurse our soldiers, not to knit a sock or roll a bandage, or drive a truck, or make a war speech, or buy a bond."

In the course of the discussion Mrs. Brown reminded Miss Amy Woods and other members of the Executive Board who were present at the meeting of the Washington, D.C., group that the pledge was not made a test of membership in 1922 because the prevailing opinion was that such a test would keep possible new members out of the organization.

"You know that we all hold the pledge in our hearts," Mrs. Brown asserted; "if not, what is the reason for our existence?"

PREFERENCE OF STATION

THE expressions of preference as to future stations during the turnover in the Army indicate that the Service is beginning to appreciate the importance of the command roster. There was a larger percentage of applications from colonels for regimental command in the changes than at any time in the history of the Army. Furthermore, it is believed that the policy set forth in the command roster has come to stay, for the records of colonels as commanders of regiments, it is asserted, will be taken into consideration in the selection of future brigadier generals.

With the creation of the General Staff eligibility list it was realized that the War Department had gone a step too far in emphasizing the importance of staff work. The General Staff in the World War was an important element, not only of the A. E. F., but in conducting the war on this side. The importance of the General Staff was emphasized throughout the operations overseas, and when the General Staff eligibility list was created in the reorganization of the Army an impression was created throughout the Service that it was akin to being placed in the Class B status for an officer to fail to get on this list.

Much of this feeling in the Service it is believed, will be counteracted by the command roster. In fact, service as a commander will take precedence over that on the General Staff as this policy becomes firmly established. In the event of war it will be commanders that those in authority will be seeking, and a record as a commander, not only of regiments, but of smaller units will be of more importance to an officer than his being on the General Staff eligible list.

NAVY IN THE HOUSE

AN agreement has been reached with the leaders of the House under which the Naval Affairs Committee will be given a special rule. Under the call of the Committees of the House the Naval Affairs Committee would not be reached until May 28, which would be about two days before it is planned to adjourn Congress. Therefore, the only way that any legislation can be passed this session will be through a special rule.

In a few days Chairman Butler of the House Committee on Naval Affairs will be granted a hearing by the House Committee on Rules, at which time the date

for the Naval Affairs Committee will be set. It is understood that not only Chairman Butler but the Secretary of the Navy has taken the subject up with the President and that they will have the support of the Administration in a demand for some time of the House before Congress adjourns.

Aside from the building program, there are the Omnibus Naval bill, the Omnibus Land bill and the Equalization bill, which will all be pending before the House before the date is fixed for the Naval Affairs Committee. Under such conditions it is understood that Chairman Butler is insisting that the minimum time that will be required for the Naval Affairs Committee is two days.

CONDITION OF FLEET

THE vigorous and plain statement from the commander-in-chief of the U.S. Fleet on the condition of the Navy afloat was a severe shock to the economists in Congress who have been attempting to either suppress or deprecate the reports that had been previously issued from the Department. Adm. Coontz struck from the shoulder, as he was in the habit of doing when he was Chief of Naval Operations. His words had great weight, as he is now with the fleet and has been keeping an eye on every unit of its organization.

The publication of extracts from his report in the morning papers disturbed the breakfast of the statesmen on the hill. Most of them who have any knowledge of naval affairs knew that Congress, by its drastic economies, had been starving the fleet, but they did not want the country to become aroused by a publication of the conditions that really exist. They were soft-pedaling on account of the approaching elections.

Chairman Hale of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs was an early caller at the Secretary's office on April 30, when the reports were published in the daily press. Other members called the Secretary over the phone and there was great pressure from the Capitol upon the Secretary and the Navy Department to secure a statement which would counteract the effect of Adm. Coontz's report. But Secretary of the Navy Wilbur and other officers quietly explained to Chairman Hale and the Congressional leaders that Adm. Coontz had given a true picture of the fleet. Previous reports and testimony before Congressional committees had warned Congress that the drastic economies in appropriations were weakening the Navy. The authorities of the Navy Department stood pat on Adm. Coontz's report, much to the discomfiture of the economists in Congress.

CAPT. GHERARDI, SECRETARY'S AID

WHEN his ship comes north on May 20, Capt. Walter R. Gherardi will be relieved of command of the Air Squadron of the Scouting Fleet and assigned to duty in the Navy Department as aid to Secretary Wilbur. His selection is greeted with general satisfaction at Washington, where he is far from being a stranger, on account of his previous service with the Bureau of Navigation.

Fortunately, Capt. Gherardi has been on duty with almost every activity of the Navy. He is a graduate of the Naval War College and had notable service in the Spanish-American War on the Marblehead. Capt. Gherardi was naval attaché to the American Embassy at Berlin at the opening of the war and is intimately acquainted with European affairs.

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NAVY WINS TWO RACES WITH CREWS OF M. I. T.

Navy Loses at Lacrosse in the First Game of the Season

TENNIS TEAM LOSES MEET

ANNAPOLIS, May 1, 1924.

APRIL 26 was a successful day for Naval Academy athletics. At home, its varsity representatives won at rowing, baseball, rifle shooting and tennis, while its plebe baseball and lacrosse teams had victories to their credit, the plebe tennis players, however, losing to Severn School.

Away from home the Naval teams were not so successful. Playing in Baltimore, the lacrosse team lost to Johns Hopkins 5 to 4. Neither did the Naval field and track men win any particular laurels in the Pennsylvania relay games at Philadelphia Friday and Saturday.

The crews opened the local rowing season by defeating Massachusetts Tech in two races—varsity and second—but both were real contests. Both races were over the Henley distance of a mile and five-sixteenths.

In the varsity race the Navy crew led by two and a half lengths at the finish, the time being 6 minutes 44.35 seconds. The Tech varsity made the distance in 6 minutes 54 seconds. The time of the Navy and Tech second crews was 6.59 and 7.11, respectively.

In the main event, the Navy crew jumped to a lead of a quarter of a length. It was rowing at 34 strokes to the minute and easily keeping up with the Tech boat, whose oarsmen were hitting it two strokes higher. Both crews dropped two strokes to the minute after the half mile, and the Navy maintained a small lead until the last half mile, when it increased its stroke to 36 and 38, gaining rapidly. Tech tried to meet the final spurt, but was unable to keep the Navy boat from forging steadily ahead.

The Navy crews were:

Varsity—Bow, Zuber, 170; 2. Whelan, 168; 3. Eddy, 172; 4. Hayter, 171; 5. Shiekie, 175; 6. Sylvester, 180; 7. Watson, 175; stroke, Bell, 176; coxswain, Gwinn, 115.

Second—Bow, De Wolfe, 189; 2. Cleton, 180; 3. Elliott, 170; 4. McCorkle, 185; 5. Shanklin, 186; 6. Lambert, 186; 7. Pederson, 65; stroke, Brewer, 170; coxswain, Sugnet, 114.

The Naval Academy won and lost on the tennis courts, the varsity winning a creditable victory over Swarthmore 5 to 2, while the plebes lost to Severn School 4 to 2.

In the main match, Lyman of the Naval Academy and Dodge of the visitors gave the best exhibition. Lyman showing particularly fine form at the net.

In the opening rifle match of the season the Naval Academy won from the Maryland State Rifle Association by 1,863 points to 1,793. The midshipmen secured their lead at the short ranges, the shooting being very close at the longer ranges. Midshipman E. W. Rawlings, captain of the Academy team, was high gun with 190 points out of a possible 200.

The Academy plebes won from Baltimore Polytechnic at both baseball and lacrosse.

The lacrosse twelve won 4 to 2, Klakring playing a star game for the plebes and scoring in each half.

NAVY IS TO ENGAGE IN ELEVEN CONTESTS TO-DAY

WITH a total of eleven athletic contests to-day at Annapolis the Naval Academy will, it is believed, present the largest number of matches ever contested at a collegiate institution in one afternoon. Six of these will be varsity matches and the other five for the plebes.

Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur will visit the Naval Academy on that day, the first visit since he assumed office, and the program will be in his honor. He was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1888 and while a student there played on the football team and made a record for the hitch kick which, according to the official lists, still stands.

The varsity program for Saturday is: Rowing, Princeton; baseball, Johns Hop-

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF NAVY ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Army-Navy baseball game of 1924 will be played at the U.S. Naval Academy, Lawrence Field, on May 31, at 2 p.m.

Those members of the Navy Athletic Association desiring tickets for this game should make requests by letter addressed to Secretary, Navy Athletic Association, stating number desired and address to which tickets are to be sent, or if tickets will be called for.

Requests must be received by the secretary not later than May 15, 1924. Tickets will not be required for the track and tennis meets with the U.S. Military Academy that day.

Requests for tickets for the lacrosse game to be played at West Point should be made to Secretary, Navy Athletic Association.

B. McCANDLESS,
Commander, U.S. Navy, Secretary.

kins; field and track, University of Pittsburgh and Johns Hopkins; tennis, Princeton; lacrosse, University of Pennsylvania; rifle shooting, Capital Rifle Club. The Princeton freshmen crew races the Navy plebes, and the University of Maryland freshmen oppose them on the diamond. The plebes also have matches in lacrosse, track and rifle shooting.

Arrangements are being made for the big Army day here on May 31, when the teams of the Military and Naval Academies meet in baseball, field and track and tennis.

The tennis, consisting of six single and three double strings, will start at half-past nine and the field and track meet at ten. The latter will take place on Farragut Field, the main athletic grounds, and there will be ample seating capacity.

Baseball will be the attraction in the afternoon. The game will take place on the new grounds and arrangements will be made to seat about 14,000. Admission will be by ticket only.

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY UNABLE TO ROW, U.S.N.A.

THERE will be no boat race this year between the crews of the Naval Academy and Washington University, it was announced at Annapolis, on April 28, the management of the latter crew having written that it cannot row on any of the dates proposed by the Navy. However, Washington is still considering the invitation of the Navy to spend some time here while preparing for the Poughkeepsie regatta.

King and Chillingworth, who were both on the Navy varsity crew last year, but who have been kept from the squad by scholastic conditions, have worked themselves back into good standing, and rejoined the squad on April 28.

They were placed on the second crew by Coach Glendon. The varsity, second and freshman crews of Princeton and the Navy will all cover a course of a mile and three-quarters in their races to-day.

ARMY GOLF MEET IS TO BE HELD AT LEAVENWORTH

AN All-Army championship golf tournament bringing together the best golfers in the Regular Army, National Guard and Reserve Corps from all over the country has been announced by the War Department, to be held at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., this fall.

Authority has been granted by the Secretary of War to commanding generals of all Army corps areas for the holding of local tryouts to select officers from the three components of the Army to represent their sections of the country at Leavenworth. It was also announced.

This will be the first golf tourney ever held for the championship of the entire military establishment, although several Army district titles have been decided at Washington, New York and other cities.

SPORT SCRAPS

LUKE FIELD, HAWAII.

Luke Field is sending a number of fighters to compete for the Department tryouts to select representatives of the Army for the Olympic games to be held this spring. The Luke Field baseball team lost a practice game to the ball team from Schofield Barracks on March 20. The water polo team is practicing for a game to be held in Honolulu in which the boys from Luke Field will represent the Army. The team is in good shape and high hopes are held for their winning.

ARMY BASEBALL NINE BEATS HAVERFORD 10-1

Cadets Swamp Opponents in Game Played at West Point

NAVY SWAMPS W. VIRGINIA

The Army baseball team won a victory from Haverford at West Point, N.Y., April 30, by a score of 10 to 1, in rainy weather. The game had to be called, on account of the rain at the end of four and a half innings of poor playing on the part of the college men.

The cadets kept up a terrific bombardment, getting four tallies in the opener on triples by Smythe and Dasher, Browning's double and errors in the Haverford outfield. Again in the second inning Army's hitting was murderously effective, five more runs being tallied. Merkle pitched good ball for the cadets. The line-up was as follows:

Army—Smythe, c.f.; Bonnett, c.f.; Dasher, 1b.; Baird, 1b.; Browning, 2b.; Storek, 3b.; Cobb, 3b.; Roosma, r.f.; Stevenson, r.f.; W. Wood, l.f.; Maude, l.f.; Bingham, s.s.; Ellinger, c.; Merkle, p.

Haverford—Yerkes, s.s.; Wiley, 2b.; Longstreth, p.; Arnold, c.; Billo, 1b.; Saunders, l.f.; Heilman, 3b.; H. Wood, r.f.; Valentino, r.f.; Roedel, c.f.; Gott, c.f.
Army4 5 1 0 x—10
Haverford0 0 0 1 0—1

The Navy overwhelmed West Virginia at baseball, at Annapolis, on April 26. Ward and Cooper starred at bat.

The line-up:
University of West Virginia—Herrick, c.f.; Pfeiffer, 1b.; Bruder, r.f.; Bernard, r.f.; Weik, s.s.; Copley, l.f.; Krosloff, 2b.; Rowan, 3b.-r.f.; Hawley, c.; Carden, p.
Naval Academy—Barchet, 3b.; McKee, 2b.; Forsberg, 2b.; Fenno, c.f.; Cooper, s.s.; Ellis, 1b.; Harris, l.f.; Waid, r.f.; Haerlin, c.; Dyer, p.; Peterson, p.

West Virginia ...2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Naval Academy ...0 0 5 0 6 0 3 0 x—14

Three base hits—Cooper, Waid. Two base hits—Fenno, Barchet. Struck out—By Dyer 5, by Carden 3. Stolen bases—Fenno, Dyer and Hawley. Umpires—Aubrey and Hughes.

ARMY DEFEATS SWARTHMORE

In a game which promised, during the first three innings, to be closely contested, the Army won from Swarthmore, 9-7, at West Point, on April 26. The game was, by turns, brilliant and dull.

The cadets had a batting streak, pounding Lippincott from the box in the eighth frame, while Goodman, pitching for Army, was relieved by Stadler at the close of fifth after Swarthmore had scored six runs in that inning.

The cadets evened the score in the seventh when Cousland hit safely past second, scoring Bingham. In the eighth, Roosma's double scored Storek and Browning, who had previously made good singles. This gave the Army the lead, and Swarthmore could not catch up so late in the game.

Smythe, the Army captain, smashed out his second homer of the season and brought in one man ahead of him. Wood's fielding was a feature of the day, especially in the fifth inning when he made a difficult running catch.

The line-up:
Army—Smythe, c.f.; Dasher, 1b.; Browning, 2b.; Storek, 3b.; Roosma, r.f.; W. Wood, l.f.; Bingham, s.s.; Ellinger, c.; Cousland, c.; Goodman, p.; Stadler, p.; Miller, p.

Swarthmore—Dotterer, 2b.; Hayes, l.f.; A. Wood, c.f.; Fix, r.f.; Neiley, c.; Ogden, 3b.; Bartlett, 1b.-p.; Shane, s.s.; Lippincott, p.; Carr, 1b.

Army0 1 0 3 2 0 1 2 x—9
Swarthmore0 1 0 0 6 0 0 0—7

Errors—Army 8, Swarthmore 2. Two-base hits—Dasher, Hayes 2. Roosma. Three-base hit—W. Wood. Home run—Smythe. Stolen bases—W. Wood. Struck out—By Goodman 2, Stadler 3, Miller 1, Lippincott 2, Bartlett 1. Double play—Browning-Dasher. Left on bases—Army 10, Swarthmore 10. Umpires—Marshall and Trantz.

SPORTS CALENDAR

May 3—Army vs. Columbia, baseball; Columbia and Virginia, track; Columbia, golf, Rutgers, lacrosse, and Pennsylvania, tennis—all at West Point.

Army vs. Cornell, inter-collegiate polo tournament, at Fort Hamilton, N.Y.

Navy vs. Johns Hopkins, baseball; track and field, dual meet Johns Hopkins and Pittsburgh; Pennsylvania, lacrosse; Princeton, tennis, and Princeton, crew (two crews); Plebes vs. Maryland Frosh, baseball; and Baltimore C.C., lacrosse—all at Annapolis.

May 7—Army vs. Syracuse, baseball, and Williams, tennis, at West Point.
Navy vs. W. and L., baseball, and Lafayette, tennis, at Annapolis.

May 10—Army vs. N.Y.U., baseball; track and field, dual meet Colgate and N.Y.U.; tennis, N.Y.U.—all at West Point.

Navy vs. Pittsburgh, baseball; track and field and lacrosse, Penn State; Lehigh, tennis; Plebes vs. Catholic U. Frosh, and Maryland Frosh, lacrosse—all at Annapolis.

HERE AND THERE

THE PACIFIC COAST.

The Headquarters Company, 30th Inf., easily won the regimental track and field meet with a total of 62 3-7 points. Company G won second place, with a total of 48 3-7 points. Company F won third place, with a total of 43 3-7 points. Capt. Don Scott, commanding the Headquarters Company, led in the individual events with a score of eighteen points. This meet was held as a preliminary to the 5th Corps Area track and field meet to be held May 11, 1924, for the championship of the corps area.

The Bay District bowling championship for enlisted men of the Army was won by Alcatraz with seven points. Fort McDowell finished second with four points, and the Presidio of San Francisco third with one point. Alcatraz wins the trophy for this year. In the officers' bowling Alcatraz also won.

FORT OGLETHORPE, GA.

Great interest has been manifested by all concerned over the announcement that the 4th Corps Area polo tournament will be held at Fort Oglethorpe. The tentative dates have been set between April 30 and May 11, and there will be both handicap and open events. Acceptances have been received from Fort Bragg and Fort Benning and it is hoped that Fort McPherson will be represented also. Besides the military, invitations have been extended to all civilian clubs in the section, including Chattanooga, Camden, Aiken, Pinehurst, Nashville, Winston-Salem, Anniston and Birmingham.

The 6th Cavalry won the Corps Area championship in the last tournament, which was also held at Fort Oglethorpe in 1922.

BALTIMORE, MD.

Because of a difference of one inch in the allowance of seating space per person, the contract for the use of the Baltimore stadium for the next football game between the Naval and Military Academy teams has not been signed. It is thought, however, that the difference will be arranged.

The management of the stadium agreed to furnish 63,000 seats, to be equally divided between the two branches of the Service. The plan for these was based on sixteen inches to the person. After measuring the space occupied by a large number of midshipmen, the Naval Academy officials insisted that they could not do with less than seventeen inches to the person, and asked for plans on the new basis.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Syracuse did not give the Naval Academy serious opposition on the local tennis court on April 23, the midshipmen taking all four strings in singles and both of those in doubles.

The summary:
Singles—Lyman, Navy, defeated Wright, Syracuse, 6-1, 6-0; Hartwig, Navy, defeated Fitzgerald, Syracuse, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3; Kelly, Navy, defeated Weinheiser, Syracuse, 6-2, 6-1; Young, Navy, defeated Wall, Syracuse, 8-6, 4-6, 6-3.
Doubles—Lyman and Kelly, Navy, defeated Fitzgerald and Weinheiser, Syracuse, 6-1, 6-3; Hartwig and Young, Navy, defeated Wright and Wall, Syracuse, 6-1, 6-0.

FORT OGLETHORPE, GA.

The 4th Corps Area polo championship will be played at Fort Oglethorpe between April 30 and May 11. Besides the home team, representing the 6th Cavalry, there will be a team from Fort Bragg, N.C., and one from Fort McPherson, Ga. Fort Benning after accepting had to withdraw on account of scheduling maneuvers. Their reconsideration has been requested, so that it is still possible that they may enter.

In addition to the Corps Area championship event, there will be an open handicap event, in which five teams have entered to date.

1ST INFANTRY DIVISION

THE spring transportation show and competition was held at Fort Jay, N. Y., on April 25. All motor and horse drawn transportation, saddle mounts and polo ponies were entered in the show. Before the judging took place, the entries passed in review before the commanding officer, Col. Charles Gerhardt, and his staff. The winning entries were as follows:

Motor Transportation—Passenger cars, Corpl. Berg, driving Cadillac; light trucks, Pvt. York. G.M.C. truck; heavy trucks, Pvt. Hill. Liberty truck (all M.T. Co. 1); ambulances, Pvt. Love, Med. Detach.

Animal Drawn Transportation—Escort wagons, Pvt. Short; rolling kitchens, Pvt. Reed, both Service Co., 16th Inf.

Saddle Mounts—Enlisted men, 1st, Pvt. Bowland, Service Co.; 2d, Sergt. Green, Co. D; 3d, Corpl. Cinque, Hdqrs. Co., all 16th Inf. Officers, 1st, Capt Haney; 2d, Capt. Moore, 16th Inf.

Polo Ponies—1st, Corpl. Beard; 2d, Sergt. Hannas; 3d, Pvt. Smith, all Polo Detach., Governors Island.

Machine Gun and Howitzer Carts—1st, Pvt. Sawyer, Co. D; 2d, Pvt. Lombardi, Co. H; 3d, Pvt. Shinn, Hdqrs. Co., all 16th Inf.

An interesting feature of the show was the cleaning of the Army mule with a vacuum cleaner. A black mule was used and in order to get photographic record of the work, the mule was first covered with flour and then thoroughly cleaned with the vacuum cleaner.

2D INFANTRY DIVISION

PLANS are being considered for taking the 2d Division Air Service on a month's field service in June. At this period the Fort Bliss troops will be firing on the range, and little or no work can be done with them.

3D INFANTRY DIVISION

THE next annual convention of the Society of the 3d Division will be held in Newark, N.J., July 11-13. The 6th Engineers and the 4th Infantry are planning regimental reunions for that occasion.

5TH INFANTRY DIVISION

THE 10th Infantry is building a hydroplane to compete in the free-for-all race of the Ohio Valley Motor Boat Racing Association of Cincinnati, Ohio, on Sept. 26-27.

7TH INFANTRY DIVISION.

THE 1st Battalion, 9th Field Artillery, the only active unit of the regiment, left Fort Des Moines, Iowa, for its annual target practice on April 22. The organization is marching to Fort Riley, Kas.

44TH INFANTRY DIVISION

COMDR. STEVENSON TAYLOR, U.S. N.R.F., president of the American Bureau of Shipping, who was recently awarded the Conspicuous Service Cross by the N.Y. State Legislature, will be presented with the decoration at the 165th Infantry armory, New York city, on May 14. The presentation will be made by Col. John J. Phelan, commanding the regiment. The decoration was awarded for "valuable and distinguished service rendered the United States as a member of the board of review during and since the war."

81ST INFANTRY DIVISION

ON April 25 the night school being conducted at 81st Division headquarters for the Reserve officers residing in Knoxville, Tenn., completed the fourth section of the schedule, that of musketry, according to Col. R. O. Ragsdale, chief of staff of the division. The classes have been well attended. Capt. George Munteanu, Inf., D.O.L., has been the instructor in the musketry course.

The officers on May 2 started a course in the 1-pounder, the machine gun and the light Stokes mortar.

The night schools of the 81st Division have been in operation since last November, and have been under the direct supervision of Maj. J. E. Sloan, F.A. Their primary functions have been to prepare the Reserve officers for the training camps this summer, to prepare them for promotion and to assist them in their Army correspondence school work.

INFANTRY AND CAVALRY DIVISIONS

91ST INFANTRY DIVISION

COL. E. V. SMITH, Inf., D.O.L., chief of staff, 91st Division, Organized Reserves, addressed the San Francisco Electric Development League at a luncheon given by that organization in the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, April 14, on the subject of "The National Defense Program."

100TH INFANTRY DIVISION

OFFICERS of the 100th Division attended a meeting held at Huntington, W. Va., April 16, sponsored by the Army and Navy Club of Huntington. It was participated in by all the civic organizations of the city. Through the efforts of Lt. Col. Allen Parker, C. of S., 100th Division, the following officers from headquarters, 5th Corps Area, attended: Brig. Gen. Dwight E. Aultman, Cols. C. D. Rhodes, T. O. Murphy, F. B. Shaw, W. T. Bates and A. L. Conger.

The civic organizations that participated were Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club, Lions Club, Exchange Club, West End Business Men's Club, Advertising Club, Ministerial Association, Cabell County Medical Association; Huntington Dental Association, Woman's Club, Mothers' Club, Business Women's Association and Y.W.C.A.

The luncheon was given at the Frederick Hotel and was attended by nearly 300 of Huntington's representative citizens. The Governor of the state, with his staff; the Adjutant General of the West Virginia N.G.; Mr. J. K. Anderson, state civilian aid to the Secretary of War, and other prominent Charlestonians were also present. Mr. George S. Wallace, late lieutenant colonel, J.A.G., A.E.F., presided as toastmaster and addresses were made by Gen. Aultman, Cols. Rhodes, Shaw and Conger and Lt. Col. Parker.

The meeting was closed by a ringing address by Governor Morgan of West Virginia, strongly advocating preparedness. The meeting also marked the initial appearance of the 398th Infantry band.

After the meeting, the visiting notables were guests of the West Virginia Racing Association at the races and they were then entertained at supper at the Guyan Country Club, the hosts being Lt. Col. Ira J. Knill, Dental O.R.C., Maj. Lovins, Inf. O.R.C.

1ST ARMY CORPS

THE 51st Machine Gun Squadron, N.Y. N.G., which is better known as Squadron A, Cavalry, will celebrate the thirty-fifth anniversary of the founding of Squadron A with an elaborate program on May 4, 6, 8 and 10 in the city of New York. On May 14 there will be a memorial service at the Church of the Heavenly Rest. On Tuesday night, May 6, a review by Gen. O. B. Bridgman will be held in the armory at 94th street and Park avenue. Gen. Bridgman for thirteen years commanded Squadron A. In addition to the review there will be various exhibition drills. During the review, Gen. Bridgman will be accompanied by a distinguished staff which will include Hon. Henry L. Stimson, Hon. Joseph Frelinghuysen, Hon. Bainbridge Colby, Hon. Frank L. Polk, Hon. Philip J. McCook, Hon. Henry W. Goddard, Hon. Frederick P. Keppel, all ex-members of old Squadron A. A grand military ball will be held on May 8 at the Hotel Biltmore, the tickets to which, admitting a gentleman, or a gentleman and lady, will be \$10; extra ladies' tickets, \$5 each. Many distinguished persons comprise the list of patronesses. A "stable d'eat" dinner will be held at the Hotel Biltmore Saturday, May 10, the menu being of quite a horsy character. Squadron A during its career, in addition to performing riot duty in the state of New York, took part in the Spanish-American War, Mexican border service and the World War.

NEWS FROM HAITI

HAITI has sent three competitors north for the Olympic try-outs, one of them a former national champion in swimming. The men selected after careful tryouts are Lt. Walter G. Farrel, of the 2d Observation Squadron; Trumpeter Frederick Dunlap and Pvt. Kenneth Strain of the 8th Regiment.

A LARGE part of the military colony joined the pilgrimage to witness the

inauguration of the new road from Mirabelais to Hinche, and of the two bridges now spanning the Fer-a-Cheval and Artibonite rivers that formerly made travel between those points impossible in the rainy seasons. The new bridges were blessed by the Archbishop of Port-au-Prince with picturesque ceremonies, and were officially presented to the Haitian government by Comdr. A. L. Parsons, Corps of Civil Engineers, U.S.N., and chief of Haiti's Public Works Department. President Borno, his cabinet and council of state attended the interesting ceremonies.

BRIG. GEN. JOHN H. RUSSELL, the American High Commissioner to Haiti, is absent in the United States on business connected with the State Department. He is expected to return to Haiti by the end of May, while Mrs. Russell will spend the summer in Europe.

ARMY NOTES

APPROVAL has been given by the War Department of a distinctive collar insignia for Military Intelligence officers of the Reserve Corps. The ornament will consist of a bebbled shield with thirteen stripes radiating from a circle at the center of which is the figure of a sphinx in relief. The selection of a device for Military Intelligence Reserve officers was referred to the Reservists themselves. These officers, who were all members of the Military Intelligence O.R.C., are as follows:

Lt. Col. Charles Wellington Furlong, Boston; Lt. Col. B. M. Roszel of the Shenandoah Valley Academy, Winchester, Va.; Lt. Col. L. A. Stone, Chicago; Maj. William O. Tufts, Washington, D.C. and Maj. Stanley H. Hornbeck.

STEPS have been taken by the War Department to erect a new hotel on government land at Old Point Comfort, Va., to take the place of the old Chamberlain, which was burned in 1920, and the old Hygeia, which was razed in the Spanish War. Under the law provision is made for the use of the land for a period of fifty years, with the option of a similar term for the same length of time.

APPROVAL has been given by The Adjutant General of the Army for the issue of fifty trained horses to the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga. These mounts, which are exceptionally well trained, are now in use at the Cavalry School, Fort Riley. They will be shipped to Fort Benning at the end of the present school year, probably some time in June.

MAJ. GEN. C. S. FARNSWORTH, Chief of Infantry, U.S.A., has secured the approval of the War Department for the issue of machine gun carts to be used by Infantry regiments as communication carts. Each brigade headquarters company will receive two carts for carrying radio equipment and one cart for carrying telephone equipment. Each regiment will be issued one cart for regimental headquarters company to carry telephone equipment, and one cart to carry radio equipment. Each battalion will receive one cart to transport telephone equipment.

AT the request of Maj. Gen. William H. Hart, Q.M.G. of the Army, a number of wool-processed cotton blankets will be given a test at Plattsburg Barracks.

THE Advanced Course Ordnance Camp will be held at Fort Casey, Wash., in conjunction with the Coast Artillery Corps R.O.T.C. camp located at that post for a period of five weeks, and at Camp Lewis, Wash., R.O.T.C. camp (combatant arms) for a period of one week. The camp will open June 20 and close July 31, 1924, at Fort Casey, Wash.

Maj. Roland W. Pinger, Ord., University of California, is designated as director of special training in Ordnance.

THE Army band, Lt. Parry W. Lewis, C.A.C., commanding, has now reached the maximum strength authorized by the War Department and has a personnel of ninety instrumentalists. W. J. Stannard is the leader of the Army band.

A COMPILATION of the Christian names of Army officers contained in the official Army Register for 1924 shows

the relative frequency of occurrence of these names. The Register gives the names of 13,751 officers—11,354 on the active list and 2,197 on the retired list. As the Christian name is not given in the case of sixty-four names, the list shows the record for 13,687 officers.

The first five names—John, William, Charles, James and George—number nearly 26 per cent. of the entire list, while the list shows that about one-half of the entire Army is made up of officers with the first twenty names. Some 1,596 different names are given in the list, of which, in the case of 966, more than 60 per cent. appear only once.

This compilation was made by Mr. Simon Newton of the United States Engineer Office, Detroit, Mich., to whom the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL is indebted for his carefully prepared article, which shows the following as most frequent:

John 920, William 907, Charles 633, James 550, George 540, Robert 374, Thomas 306, Frank 284, Henry 275, Joseph 268, Edward 259, Harry 249, Walter 189, Arthur 181, Paul 150, Frederick 145, Harold 144, Richard 139, Francis 137, Albert 136, Samuel 121, Edwin 117, Ralph 104, Clarence 99, Herbert 97, Louis 96, David 95, Fred 80, Howard, Raymond 76 each, Alfred 75, Alexander, Benjamin 73 each, Ernest 71, Donald 68, Daniel, Hugh 67 each, Eugene 66, Carl, Roy 65 each, Philip 64, Lewis 61, Edgar Lawrence 57 each, Oscar 55, Earl 48, Theodore 43, Edmund 39, Clyde, Lloyd, Russell 38 each, Guy, Oliver 37 each, Claude, Clifford, Kenneth 36 each, Leonard 34, Elmer, Horace, Jesse 33 each, Allen, Harvey, Ray 32 each, Chester, Leslie 31 each, Andrew, Lester 30 each, Peter, Stanley 29 each, Norman, Willis 28 each, Michael 27, Jacob 26, Bernard, Leon, Stephen, Wallace 25 each, Douglas, Franklin, Frederic, Herman, Patrick, Percy 24 each, Everett, Ira, Leo, Martin, Sidney 23 each, Floyd, Gordon, Otto, Victor 22 each, Lee 21, Homer Maurice, Wilbur 20 each.

TWO recruiting officers have asked about the word "original" in connection with one-year enlistments. The Adjutant General of the Army announces that "Any prior service in the Army bars a man from a one-year enlistment. A man with Navy, Marine Corps, etc., service and no prior Army service can enlist for one year."

IN order to carry out the provisions of an order issued in the spring of 1924, requiring that each company of the 34th Infantry have six qualified cooks by the time that the regiment arrived at Camp Meade for duty at the summer training camps, Capt. A. K. Rupert was designated officer in charge of the cook school. He selected as instructors Sergt. Joseph Inapen and Pvt. 1st Class Wilbur H. Eyer. Forty student cooks were detailed to take the course. Practical instructions in the preparation of food was carried on in the five organization messes under the supervision of qualified cooks. The course covered about ten weeks. On April 15 a dinner was prepared by the student cooks which was attended by about sixty officers and guests. A charge of one dollar per plate was made, but it actually cost about twenty-six cents per plate and the remainder was divided equally among the members of the graduating class. The dinner was declared a great success.

APPROVAL has been given by the War Department for a distinctive insignia for the 165th Infantry (69th), N.Y. National Guard, and that for the 15th Infantry and the 42d Infantry of the Regular Army. The 15th Infantry is stationed in China while the 42d is composed of Porto Ricans and is in the Canal Zone. The War Department has also approved a coat-of-arms for the 361st Infantry, 91st Division, Organized Reserves.

THE saber pad as recommended by the Chief of Cavalry, was approved this week as to type as an article of issue to the Cavalry, and will be furnished by the Quartermaster Corps at the rate of one pad per saber issued. Approximately 5,500 of these saber pads will be issued to the Service. The felt pads fulfill entirely the purpose for which they are designed. Not a case of skinned knuckles or bruised hand occurred among those officers whose sabers were equipped with the pad. Bruises and lacerations were common among the others until all officers were asking for the pad. The adoption of the saber pad will save many injuries to the hand of the trooper, particularly the recruit, which in turn will give him more confidence and vigor in the use of his weapon.

NAVAL OMNIBUS BILL PENDING IN THE HOUSE

Its Marine Corps Personnel Provisions Are Most Important

SITUATION UNCERTAIN

NATURALLY, the officers of the Marine Corps are deeply interested in the Naval Omnibus bill as it is now pending before the House. This bill contains the most important personnel legislation that has been proposed for the Marine Corps in recent years. It is doubtful whether any legislation that has been enacted since the existence of the corps has had such a sweeping effect upon the corps as will this bill, if it is enacted into law.

There does not seem to be any real opposition to the Marine Corps provisions of the Omnibus bill. At least, it has not manifested itself openly. The Marine Corps provisions of the Omnibus bill have been thought out very carefully. It is stated officers throughout the corps have been consulted generally and up to this date no protest has been received by the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL against the measure. This unanimity of the support of any personnel bill has scarcely a precedent in any Service. Usually personnel legislation develops a controversy. Officers and men in the Military and Naval services are primarily against any change in personnel legislation. Especially the older officers, who become wedded to a policy and view with suspicion and change. And it is not a good policy to be continually changing the personnel laws for any Service. It does not make for a stability which is one of the vital elements of military organization to be continually changing the laws governing its personnel.

The Marine Corps has been very conservative in asking for personnel legislation. In framing the bill now pending before the House the corps has taken some of the best provisions of the Army personnel law and combined them with those of the Navy. Wherever the conditions of the service of the Marine Corps permitted the Army system has been followed. It takes care of the older commissioned officers who came up from the ranks and at the same time provides a system of promotion which will give the younger and more ambitious officers an opportunity for advancement which is necessary to maintain the morale of the corps.

If the bill had been submitted as a separate measure it would in all probability be a law by this time. The Naval Omnibus bill as it now is pending in the House was passed by the House at the last session of the previous Congress. It went over to the Senate and was referred to the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs. In reporting out the bill the Senate committee added a number of provisions which developed opposition on the floor of the Senate. It came up in the last days of the session and the opposition was able to hold it up.

Now the same dangers exist in this session of the Omnibus bill being caught in a jam. The plan of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs is to wait until the House passes the Omnibus Personnel bill. When it passes the House and is referred to the Senate committee it will be taken up promptly, amended and reported to the Senate. Chairman Hale is confident that it will be passed promptly by the Senate, which will throw it into conference. In the conference committee any differences between the Senate and the House can be worked out and the Omnibus bill, which has been pending three or four sessions, will at last become a law.

TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR NAVAL RESERVES

THE practice cruises for Naval Reserves are now being arranged by the Navy Department. It is arranging the schedule on the assumption that it will have practically the amount of money available for this purpose that is carried in the Naval Appropriation bill as it is reported to the Senate.

The cruises for the U.S.S. Cheyenne, which is assigned to the Baltimore unit of the Naval Reserve, have been approved. The first cruise will be from July 4 to 9 and the second from Aug. 2 to 16.

Eagle boats 42 and 46, which are assigned to the 1st Naval District, have an extended number of cruises arranged, as follows: May 3 to 17, June 14 to 28, July 5 to July 19, July 29 to Aug. 9, Aug. 16 to 30, Sept. 6 to 20, Sept. 27 to Oct. 11.

The itinerary of the Eagles will be from Provincetown to Rockland, Bar Harbor, Me.; New Haven, Conn., to New York, New London to New Bedford, and Boston to Provincetown.

ARMY ORDNANCE TESTS AND SUPPLIES

PREPARATIONS are being made for sending to Fort Bragg and Fort Sill for service test a quantity of 155-mm. howitzer ammunition with latest developments in FNH powder, and with the new combination superquick and short delay fuses. Similarly, a quantity of 75-mm. ammunition with FNH powder and latest developments in fuses is being sent out for service test.

Picatinny Arsenal has completed the manufacture of a lot of approximately 3,000 pounds of bromate free potassium chlorate for Frankford Arsenal. This chlorate is of the grade prescribed for use in primer compositions and is not manufactured by any commercial firms in this country at the present time.

As a result of experiments carried out at Picatinny Arsenal it was determined that grade A-4 black powder is satisfactory for use in smoke bomb outfits. The Service has, therefore, been authorized to use this grade of powder in place of the Army black saluting powder, which was prescribed for use heretofore.

U.S.S. TENNESSEE LEADS IN TORPEDO EXERCISES

THE standing of the battleships in torpedo exercises for the gunnery year 1923-24 have been worked out by the Navy Department with the following results:

1. Tennessee; 2. Arizona; 3. Idaho; 4. California; 4. Oklahoma; 6. Nevada; 7. New Mexico; 7. Pennsylvania; 7. Texas; 10. Maryland; 11. Mississippi; 11. New York.

MARINE CORPS NOTES

THE marine garrison at Peking, China, is much elated over the acquisition of a hostess house building for permanent use by the men stationed at the Chinese capital. The need for a hostess house became apparent some time ago and temporary quarters were rented. The value of the work was at once demonstrated and means were sought for securing a building which could be used for this purpose permanently. The situation was drawn to the attention of Mr. R. R. Gailey, secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in Peking, through Col. R. H. Dunlap, U.S.M.C., commanding officer of the marine detachment, and was taken up by Mr. Gailey with the Army and Navy Department of the International Association. As a result, an allotment was made for the purchase of the building at a cost of \$10,667, with an allowance of -1,000 a year for expenses.

UNDER the leadership of two former captains who piloted the Marine Corps to victory in the National Rifle Matches, the rifle team of the Gendarmerie d'Haiti sailed April 28 on the French liner Figui to take part in the Olympic and International Rifle Matches that will be held in France in June. The team will arrive at Havre on May 20, stopping en route at Coruna, Spain, for three days.

Maj. Gen. D. C. McDougal, chief of the Gendarmerie, and Col. H. L. Smith, commanding the Department of the South, will be in charge of the team. Of the eight shooting members two are Haitian lieutenants and six are non-commissioned officers. The team will use both the regulation Springfield rifle and in the free rifle matches special rifles of the type used in recent years by the American international teams. Prior to this year none of the gendarmes had fired back of two hundred yards, but their practice scores as far back as 800 meters have approached American standards closely enough to warrant that in France the Haitian team will be up with the leaders.

The international team and individual championship matches with the free rifle and the French national match will be shot at Rheims with the Olympic team and the Olympic 600-meter individual at Chalons.

ARMY 1st AND 2d LINE IN JOINT REVIEW

Regular and National Guard Artillery in Armory Exhibition

62D C.A. AND 245TH C.A.

REGULAR Army and National Guard troops were seen to great advantage on the night of April 23 in a joint review and varied exhibitions in the armory of the 13th Coast Defense Command (245th Artillery), N.Y.N.G., when Batteries A, C and E of the 62d Artillery, U.S.A., Col. C. H. Hilton, from Fort Totten, and the 13th Coast Defense Command, Col. Sydney Grant, were the parading organizations. The exhibition was one of the best ever seen in an armory in the city of New York. Both Regulars and Guardsmen received an ovation from the audience of some 4,000 persons. The review was in honor of the veterans of the 13th, and there were men who served in the Civil, Spanish-American and World Wars in line.

The exercises opened when two three-inch anti-aircraft guns of Battery C. 62d Artillery, U.S.A., on trailer mount, drawn by cargo trucks rolled into the drill hall under command of Lt. E. W. Timberlake and formed a gun platoon with telephonic communication and simulated actual firing against enemy's aircraft.

A provisional company of the 13th, under Capt. J. D. Humphries, gave an exhibition of Infantry drill, close order, after which Battery E, 62d Artillery, U.S.A., Capt. E. R. Percy, entered the drill hall with eight Browning machine guns drawn by four trucks and gave an exhibition of firing against enemy aircraft, using blank ammunition.

A detachment of the 13th followed with artillery firing by the 4 and 8-inch guns and the 12-inch mortars, using rubber projectiles. After this Battery A, 62d Artillery, U.S.A., Capt. W. W. Rhein, held the attention of the audience with six powerful searchlight units. Telephone lines were laid and power developed for each searchlight from the power truck, and the great searchlights which aggregated about 100,000,000 candle power gave an exhibition of searching the sky for enemy's aircraft and performed various searchlight movements by command. It was a most spectacular exhibition.

The concluding event was the review of the provisional brigade, under command of Col. C. H. Hilton, U.S.A., of Fort Totten, with Col. Sydney Grant of the 13th acting as chief of staff. The 62d Artillery was under command of Maj. K. F. Baldwin, U.S.A., and the 13th was under command of Lt. Col. B. H. Pendry.

The review was taken by veterans of the regiment under command of Maj. Kemp, and like the preceding exhibition was a fine one.

Among the special guests were Col. G. J. Heiner, C. H. Hilton, C. Gerhardt and J. B. Mitchell, Maj. T. H. Jones, W. R. McCleary, E. N. Woodbury, all U.S.A.; Col. J. J. Byrne, Maj. T. J. O. Rhineland, Capt. J. G. P. Stokes, 9th N.Y.; Lt. Rhineland, O.R.C., and Lt. Col. Fred Wells, N.Y.N.G., retired.

CHANGES IN OFFICE OF THE Q.M. GENERAL

AMONG the Quartermaster Corps officers who will be ordered away from Washington after their four years are Col. F. H. Pope and Lt. Col. W. C. Jones, both of whom will graduate from the Army War College this month. Col. Pope has been assigned as corps area quartermaster at Atlanta, Ga., while Col. Jones relieves Lt. Col. R. E. Smyser as commanding officer of the Boston Quartermaster Intermediate Depot. Col. Smyser has been ordered to proceed to Washington, D.C., where he will be assigned to duty in the office of the Quartermaster General, effective June 1.

Col. T. B. Hacker, chief, Miscellaneous Supply Division, office of the Q.M.G., has been assigned as quartermaster of the 3d Corps Area with headquarters at Baltimore, effective July 1. Col. Hacker will

relieve Col. W. G. Gambrill, who has been ordered to Camp Holabird, Md., as commanding officer, relieving Col. G. E. Ball. Lt. Col. W. H. Noble, Q.M.C., has been detailed as an additional member of the War Department General Staff, and he has been ordered to report to the Chief of Staff for duty. He will be relieved from his present assignment with the 2d Division, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, effective July 2.

Other quartermasters who have been ordered to report for duty in the office of the Q.M.G. on or after July 1 are Lt. Col. J. Regan, now stationed at Atlanta; Lt. Col. C. L. Willard, from Chicago, where he has been on duty at 6th Corps Area headquarters, and Capt. W. T. Connatser, who will proceed to this office on the completion of the course at the Quartermaster Subsistence School, Chicago, about July 1. Capt. Connatser will relieve Capt. G. H. Hahn, who goes to 3d Corps Area headquarters, Baltimore, Md.

ENLISTED STRENGTH OF THE U.S. NAVY 86,631

AS of April 24, 1924, the total enlisted strength of the Navy was 86,631, or an excess of 631 men over the authorized figure. Since July 1, 1923, the Navy Department has obtained 20,849 first enlistments, but after deducting 554 due to under-age and physical disability discharges the net number of first enlistments was 20,292.

For the week ending April 24, 1924, there were 918 applicants who presented themselves for enlistment, and of this number 339 were accepted as first enlistments, or a percentage of applicants enlisted of 365. The total number of reenlistments was 41 and no extensions were granted.

DEMONSTRATION OF MARINE TANK

A DISTINGUISHED military gathering including Gen. Pershing, Chief of Staff; Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, commandant of the Marine Corps; Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, U.S.M.C., now director of public safety at Philadelphia, and the military attaches of a number of foreign governments attended the demonstration of a marine tank on April 30 opposite the Lincoln Memorial in Potomac Park, Washington. The exhibition, which was arranged to demonstrate the ability of this aquatic and land war machine to travel on both land and water, was successful in every way.

The tank was driven over the stone retaining wall into the Potomac and "swam" in an attack maneuver to the opposite shore. Returning to its starting place, the machine was stripped of its caterpillars and the tank was driven at its maximum speed on the driveway.

Carriages of the wheel tracklayer type, mounting guns and pulling 75-mm. guns with them, were also exhibited in the sham battle formation, ready to attack the opposite shore. A number of 155's on wheel tracklayer carriages were in support of the French 75's and standard trucks, wheel tracklayer type, for cross-country work for carrying ammunition, greatly interested those who attended the demonstration.

ENTRIES FOR BALLOON RACE AT BRUSSELS

MAJ. NORMAND W. PEEK, A.S., and 1st Lt. William A. Gray, A.S., will constitute one of the three American entries in the Gordon Bennett international balloon race at Brussels in June. Maj. Peek and Lt. Gray, in the Army balloon, S-14, finished third in the national elimination race which started from Kelly Field, Texas, on April 24.

Maj. Peek, war pilot, and Lt. Gray, his aid, made a total flight of 1,020 miles, landing at St. Ansgar, Iowa, on April 25. The race was won by W. T. Van Orman, who made a total flight of 1,100 miles, landing at Rochester, Minn. Capt. H. B. Honeywell, in charge of the entry of the Kansas City Co-operative Club, finished second with a total distance of 1,050 miles.

The record made was seventy-three miles short of the American distance record established by W. H. Halley in 1910.

ADMIRAL COONTZ FOR ELEVATION OF GUNS

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actually only had six, which, however, served good purpose, considering their number and capabilities and Langley's own characteristics. Atlantic air squadrons had twenty-seven seaplanes with Black forces, which were most useful while working from a base. Attempts to operate them from a carrier should be made. Catapults not working well on ships and therefore Langley was only ship to send up planes. Until it is demonstrated that planes will operate at sea from the battleships and cruisers on which they are now carried it would be premature to alter or rearrange any other types of combatant ships for their accommodation.

"Arresting gear, deck lighting and the material requirements to permit night flying should be developed. Aircraft carriers should have separate radio receiving rooms to permit duplex operation, in order that planes in the air may be communicated with efficiently while radio work with other units is going on. The construction of the two carriers building should be expedited. In connection with their commissioning it should be borne in mind that each will require the constant attendance of from three to six destroyers, which should be provided for this purpose.

"Destroyer tenders are deficient in speed. Need reconditioning and early completion of more capable ships to replace them.

Submarine tenders are slow and unreliable in mobility, not adequate in capacity and early completion of new ones is hoped for. Absence of anti-aircraft guns in submarine tenders.

"Auxiliary types lack speed. The Train under convoy would limit speed to 7½ knots. Their towing gear should at all times be kept ready for use at short notice in making a fleet passage.

"Radio equipment inadequate for lack of separate receiving rooms on flagships, aircraft carriers, etc., ships which must perform duplex works; instruments need improving also.

"None of the following types of ships arrived at Culebra with the fleet: Light cruisers, store ships, tugs, seaplanes, miscellaneous auxiliaries, destroyer tenders, colliers, repair ships, lighter-than-air craft."

NAVY NOTES

THE battleships of the Battle Fleet held the annual small arms rifle competition matches at Panama during the transit through the canal, westward bound, with the result that the Arizona stood one and the Mississippi two.

DUE to a shortage which exists in the rating of pharmacist's mate, first class, recommendations for advancement to this rating shall be forwarded to the Bureaus of Navigation and Medicine and Surgery in the usual manner.

ANNOUNCEMENT was made by the Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department this week, that the normal tour of duty for enlisted men assigned to duty in Samoa shall be eighteen months. Prior to their sailing for this station, enlisted men will be given a physical examination in order to determine their fitness for duty at this station.

WITH reference to Bureau of Navigation Circular Letter No. 85-23, it has been directed by the bureau that "men advanced to the rating of commissary steward, subsequent to the date of this letter, shall wear the uniform of petty officers, first class, as prescribed in Uniform Regulations, 1922. Other men now holding the rating of commissary steward shall be permitted to wear the uniform of a chief petty officer, with the insignia of a first class petty officer, commissary branch, as formerly authorized in the Uniform Regulations, 1913."

THE board to consider the applications of candidates for post-graduate training in civil engineering will meet at the Navy Department at an early date. Candidates have until April 30, to submit applications. The board consisting of Comdr. Ralph Whitman, C.E.C., U.S.N., as senior member, and Lt. Comdr. G. H. Emmerman and M. J. Foster, U.S.N., as members will select three line officers who will report to the Naval Academy in June for a one year course at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, N.Y., where the degree of master civil engineer will be conferred.

MILITARY CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

COMING EVENTS

May 3—Fifth Army, Navy and Marine Corps hop, New Willard Hotel, Washington, D.C.

May 4, 6, 8, 10—Thirty-fifth anniversary celebration of the founding of the present 51st Machine Gun Squadron, N.G.N.Y. (old Squadron A), in New York city.

May 7—Review of 69th Inf., N.Y.N.G. (165th), by Cardinal Hayes, at armory, New York city.

Stated meeting, Hq. Cdry., State of Pa., M.O.L.U.S., Union League, Philadelphia.

May 8—Ninth annual meeting and Navy dinner, National Security League, Hotel Astor, New York city.

May 9—Semi-monthly luncheon, 61st Cavalry Div., Massolotti Inn, 91 Water street, New York city.

May 10—Reunion of former officers, 7th Division, Atlanta, Ga.

Reunion dinner and smoker of the 4th Division, Yale Club, New York city.

May 12—Bi-weekly luncheon, New York Chapter, M.O.W.W., Stewart's Restaurant, 80 Park place, New York city.

May 19—Monthly meeting, D.C. Medical Officers, Washington, D.C.

May 31—Reunion of Graduates of U.S. Naval Academy, at the Academy, Annapolis, Md.

June 12—Commencement and alumni reunion, U.S.M.A., West Point, N.Y.

Oct. 2, 3 and 4—National Convention, M.O.W.W., Boston, Mass.

GEN. LEJEUNE ADDRESSES BOSTON CHAPTER, M.O.W.W.

Declaring that he had met no militarists in the Services, and that the United States really needs its armed forces because the millennium is far in the future, Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, commandant of the U.S. Marine Corps, addressed the Boston Chapter, M.O.W.W., on April 7.

The occasion was a banquet, celebrating the seventh anniversary of the entry of the United States into the World War.

Maj. Gen. George H. Harries, commander-in-chief of the M.O.W.W., addressed the Reserve officers of Peoria, Ill., on April 7, declaring that preparedness is the best preventive of war. Other speakers were Lt. Col. Morris Keck and Col. T. C. Siqueland.

Co-operation in the construction and equipment of the Louvain Library by the Military Order of the World War through funds raised by chapters or individually sent to national headquarters has been promised by Maj. Gen. George H. Harries, commander-in-chief. He has issued an appeal to the order.

GEN. HART ADDRESSES NEW YORK QUARTERMASTERS

Maj. Gen. W. H. Hart, Quartermaster General, was the guest of the New York Chapter of the Quartermaster Association during the evening of April 24 at the Army and Navy Club. Previous to the gathering of the members, officers of the chapter gave a dinner at the club, at which Gen. Hart was present. The smoker and entertainment was also attended by Col. Franklin Q. Brown, Q.M.C.R.C., president of the Army and Navy Club, and his entire board of directors. A brief business meeting was first held, presided over by Lt. Col. P. L. Gerhardt, Q.M.C.R.C. On the conclusion of the meeting, Col. Gerhardt introduced Gen. Hart as the speaker of the evening. The general was received with cheers and prolonged applause and in the course of his talk spoke as follows:

"I have full confidence that this splendid get-together brings cheer to the hearts of everyone of you—as it does to mine. It means much for the success of the Quartermaster Corps of the United States Army. I am well aware of, and deeply appreciate, all the New York and 2d Corps Area quartermasters have done in the righteous cause of preparedness; and, on your part, you know that every ounce of my energy has been put into the same cause.

"While I look around to-night, my thoughts go back to a recent gathering of officers in Washington which was addressed by Mr. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. The picture of that meeting and this will long stand side by side in my mind. In the one, there is reflected the vigor and strength of men in the prime of life, just-minded men, full of sympathy for all humankind, yet thoroughly conscious of the difference between justice and injustice and able and eager to fight for justice.

"In that other picture, that patriarchal man, his head whitened by the snows of many winters, the color gone from his cheeks but eyes that shine with the light of an understanding soul and a gentle voice saying, 'All my life I have done what I could to lighten the burdens of my fellow-man, to relieve distress and lessen suffering. I would have peace among men,' and then the voice

became vibrant—"but not peace at any price." And the thought comes to me that with that indomitable spirit under snowy locks and the resolute will to do of you men at the fighting age, no tyrant led people could ever whip us into subjection.

"We are for peace, for good-will and helpfulness toward all, but when a brigand nation offers us the choice between peace and injustice, we must be prepared to say with that dear, venerable man, 'we don't want peace at that price.'"

NOTICE TO FORMER SERVICE ACADEMY STUDENTS

Due to the fact that information concerning graduates and non-graduates of the U.S. Military and Naval Academies is constantly being sought, the Army and Navy Journal wishes to compile a more complete record of former cadets and midshipmen who are now in civil life. This record will be open to all former students at either academy.

Information concerning former cadets and midshipmen, to comprise the name, present address and class, whether or not the cadet or midshipman graduated, will be appreciated. Such information should be mailed to the Army and Navy Journal, 383 Madison Ave., New York city. It will enable such former students to keep in touch with one another.

OFFICERS OF ARMY-NAVY CLUB OF INDIANA INSTALLED

Brig. Gen. Dwight E. Aultman has just been elected president of the Army and Navy Club of Indiana, which was organized in October, 1922, for the purpose of cementing more firmly the social and professional relations between officers of the Army and Navy, National Guard, Organized Reserve and the Naval Reserve. At the present time the club has a membership of 453 and the erection of a clubhouse is being contemplated in the near future. In addition to Gen. Aultman the following officers were elected and installed for the year ending March 31, 1925:

First vice president, Col. Robert L. Moorhead; second vice president, Col. E. Arthur Ball; secretary, Capt. Morris G. Fuller; treasurer, Capt. Myron M. Huguel. The board of governors is composed of Adj. Gen. Harry B. Smith, Brig. Gens. Leigh R. Gignilliat, William G. Everson, Will J. McKee, Col. Gavin L. Payne, Col. D. Wray De Pres, Lt. Col. F. W. Glover, Maj. Howard M. Gay and Capt. Stephen Noland.

ATLANTA FORMS CHAPTER OF MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

The Marine Corps League announces that Atlanta, Ga., under the leadership of Capt. C. A. Wynn, U.S.M.C., has filed an application for charter.

This detachment—the Marcus Beck, jr., Detachment—is named in honor of an Atlanta youth who gave his life, while a corporal in the Marines, in the World War and is the first detachment to be organized in the state of Georgia.

Thomas C. Harris of Marietta, Ga., was elected detachment commandant; 1st Sergt. Ernest H. Galway, detachment adjutant, and Dr. E. C. Swanson, detachment paymaster.

Meetings will be held on the first and third Thursdays of the month at Room 526, Federal Building, and applications for membership should be addressed to Capt. Wynn.

RAINBOW VETERANS MEET

The New York Chapter, Rainbow Division Veterans, 165th Infantry (old 69th N.Y.), held their fifth annual entertainment and ball at the Pennsylvania Hotel, New York city, on April 21.

PROPOSED FLAG FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

SUPPLEMENTING bills, authorizing a distinctive emblem for the District of Columbia which have already been introduced in the Senate and House, work was completed this week on the proposed flag by the Standardization Branch, office of the Quartermaster General, which has charge of all the heraldic work of the Army and designs the various regimental coats-of-arms. The new design is the joint work of Capt. J. Moultrie Ward, Q.M.C., and Miss Flora F. Sherwood, civilian artist of the Quartermaster Corps.

In the design of the flag, whose colors are red and white, the artists have taken in part the arms of George Washington. The first third of the flag next to the hoist consists of a broad red stripe on which are three white five-pointed stars. These three stars are doubly symbolic, as they not only indicate the Washington family arms, but in the District flag represent three cities included in its boundaries, namely, Washington, Georgetown and Alexandria. The rest of the flag is made up of four stripes equal in width, two white and two red, the final red stripe being on the outer edge. A particular feature in the design of this flag is that it is the same on both sides.

NAVY BILL NOW IN CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

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nese earthquake sufferers is provided in the following:

The Paymaster General of the Navy is hereby authorized and directed to expend from the naval supply account, without reimbursement to the naval supply account fund, issues made by order of the Secretary of the Navy, pursuant to the directions of the President, for the relief of sufferers in Japan following the earthquake which occurred Sept. 1, 1923.

The appropriation for acetylene gas plant of \$22,000 for the Philadelphia Navy Yard was stricken from the bill, while the appropriation for dredging at the Charleston Navy Yard was increased from \$20,000 to \$30,000. The Puget Sound Navy Yard drew an increase of \$150,000 for the extension of the quay wall and \$250,000 for the repair and fitting out of a pier. The most attractive prize was that of a submarine and destroyer base for the Columbia river at Tongue Point, with an appropriation of \$200,000. This required, however, the approval of the Secretary of the Navy.

The Senate voted into the bill a provision for a supply depot for the Marine Corps at San Francisco at a cost of \$500,000. There is a proviso that the Secretary of the Treasury is to transfer to the Navy Department lots on the north side of Harrison creek, bounded by Spear and Main streets.

Upon motion of Chairman Hale, an amendment was adopted for the adjustment of claims, which provides:

That the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to consider, ascertain, adjust, determine, and pay out of this appropriation the amounts due on claims for damages which have occurred or may occur to private property growing out of the operations of naval aircraft, where such claim does not exceed the sum of \$250.

That all claims adjusted under this authority during the fiscal year shall be reported in detail to the Congress by the Secretary of the Navy.

Senator Fletcher secured the adoption of an amendment for a naval air station at Pensacola, which provides:

That the Secretary of the Navy is authorized, when directed by the President, to accept on behalf of the United States, free from encumbrances and without cost to the United States, the title to such lands as he may deem necessary or desirable in the vicinity of Pensacola, Fla., for use as a site and right of way for the construction and maintenance of a pumping station, wells, and pipe line to provide a suitable water supply for the United States naval air station, Pensacola, Fla.

An amendment which would restrict Navy officers to the use of American ships provides that—

No money appropriated by this act shall be expended for transportation on foreign vessels of officers, enlisted men, or employees under the jurisdiction of the Navy Department without a certificate from the Secretary of the Navy or other official authority designated by him that there are no American vessels then available for the transportation of such officers, enlisted men or employees.

Upon motion of Senator McKellar, after considerable discussion, an amendment was adopted which would restrict the building and repairing of ships to government navy yards. It is set forth in the following:

No part of the moneys herein appropriated or made available for the Naval Establishment shall be used or expended under contracts hereinafter made for the repair, purchase, or acquisition, by or from any private contractor, of any naval vessel, machinery, article, or articles that at the time of the proposed repair, purchase, or acquisition, can be repaired, manufactured, or produced in each or any of the Government navy yards or arsenals of the United States when time and facilities permit.

RESERVE OFFICERS' ASS'N

DEFINITE arrangements have been made for the annual national convention of the Reserve Officers' Association of the United States, according to an announcement made last week at national headquarters in Washington, D.C. The convention will be held at Cleveland, Ohio, on Oct. 24 to 26. In a communication issued by Lt. Col. Fred B. Ryons, Engr. O.R.C., national secretary, attention is called to the fact that state departments should hold their annual conventions not less than thirty days before the national convention. It is further announced that Gen. Pershing has accepted an invitation to address the convention. It will be presided over by Brig. Gen. John Ross Delafield, O.R.C., national president.

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SELECTION FOR PROMOTION

A RECENT bill introduced in both houses of Congress would make certain modifications in the existing methods of selecting officers for promotion in the Navy. The limitation of the number of admirals who can serve on consecutive selection boards to two; restricting their consideration to the written records of eligibles (except by vote of six members of the board); informing those passed over of the reasons therefor, are some of the proposed changes, all of which seem to have in view the better protection of the interests of the individual.

It is the interest of the Navy and of the nation which must of course have primary consideration in any system of promotion. That promotion by selection better served such interest than the old seniority system was the principal and deciding argument in bringing about the introduction of the present method. Only through selection can the carrying of a great proportion of "deadwood" in the higher grades, upon whom so much of the general efficiency of the Service necessarily depends, be avoided.

On the other hand, the method of selection must accord with certain principles of justice and have due regard to the interests of individuals, if service morale is to be safeguarded. And if morale is not properly ensured, any system of selection will destroy its own purposes, through lowering general service efficiency and hence impairing the public interest.

Without considering details, there is no doubt that the adoption of promotion by selection in the Navy has resulted in some degree adversely to service morale. Perhaps some modifications of law in the interest of individuals is desirable. It may

be that the difficulty is merely the result of slow readjustment to the radical change. Undoubtedly, one of the detrimental influences at work has been the old state of mind in which the individual instinctively regards promotion as almost a right. This is a natural product of the old system, and one which is not so noticeable in foreign services where selection has been in practice for many years. But whatever the reason for impaired morale, the importance of the question warrants the most careful consideration, and perhaps a change in certain details of the law.

Any serious defects in the law will in the long run result in the abolition of the system of selection, which anyone having the best interests of the Service at heart would surely deplore. Undoubtedly, in theory it is the best method, but it cannot survive unless practiced with scrupulous care, with special regard to elemental justice. The crux of this matter is of course the nature of the selections made each year by the board. What counts is not so much how those selections are received by the unfortunate individuals passed over, but how the Service at large views the selections. Accumulated service confidence in the essential wisdom and justice of the selections is indispensable to morale and to a continuation of the system.

THE NAVY'S HOME-COMING AT ANNAPOLIS

THE Graduates' Council of the Naval Academy has undertaken to revive the custom of all graduates who can come having a dinner together during "June Week." The custom quite naturally lapsed during the war, but it is eminently fitting that some energetic hand has undertaken to bring it back. Rear Adm. Henry B. Wilson, the present Superintendent, is supporting the plan enthusiastically in the belief that the midshipmen will gain a great deal in inspiration and example from seeing so many of their predecessors renewing friendships, as well as that the graduates will, themselves, gain a great deal through a friendly meeting on the old stamping ground.

The annual dinner is the only opportunity for a general getting together of the graduates in and out of the Service.

Elaborate plans are being made for entertainment. Many of the quarters are being thrown open as headquarters for classmates of the occupants. The ladies of the station are forming a committee to take care of the wives of graduates during the progress of the dinner. Rooms in Bancroft Hall will be available for those who apply to the commandant before the exhaustion of the supply. Four battle-ships which will be in harbor awaiting the embarkation of the midshipmen for the summer cruise will send their quota.

Seats for the Army track, tennis and baseball contests on that date will be assigned by classes, as will the seats at mess. In short, those in charge are going to make this revival of the old custom as enticing as possible, for the success of this one will be more or less of a barometer with reference to the feeling of the Service regarding the desirability of keeping up the annual dinners.

Numerous committees under the chairmanships of the senior officers of the station have been formed and all are working to make the day pleasant as well as inspirational.

The Graduates' Council is to be congratulated for its efforts to bring the "old grade" together again.

VOICE OF THE SERVICES

WAR RISK INSURANCE

TO THE EDITOR:

RECENTLY upon the receipt of a check from the Veterans' Bureau for some \$19.40, dividend for the past year on my \$10,000 converted insurance, it occurred to me that those of us who have converted our War Risk Insurance are in a position to help those who have either let their insurance lapse or have not yet converted it. During the three years since I converted my insurance, dividends, based on the amount paid in as premiums, have been as follows: 1921, 8.7 per cent.; 1922, 8.54 per cent.; 1921, 10.25 per cent. Not a bad investment, especially when one considers that the amount paid in represents just so much money saved in addition to the protection afforded.

Many of the enlisted men who have held War Risk Insurance seem to have lost interest and have either let their insurance lapse or have not yet converted it. It is believed that much of this lack of interest is due to the fact that the company commanders have failed to realize the desirability of the converted government insurance as an investment. Since dividends depend upon the number of policy holders—the more the merrier—each policy holder may expect to receive increased dividends as the number of policy holders grows. It would seem incumbent upon each of us as officers to pass the good word along to advertise among ourselves, to the enlisted men of the Army and to the former soldier the advantages of government insurance.

J. C. MARSHALL, 1st Lt., C.E.

CONCERNING RETIREMENT

TO THE EDITOR:

I HAVE read with amazement the reasons given by the War Department for "damning with faint praise" House bill 5097, designed to put senior officers of the Army, retired before July 1, 1922, on an equal pay basis with officers of the same grade and length of service retired thereafter.

The gist of the Department's objection may perhaps be summed up as follows: "Wherefore, 347 junior officers, retired prior to July 1, 1922, are, under the 'saving clause' of Sec. 17 of the 1922 Service Pay act, privileged to draw their retired pay under the somewhat greater 1908 pay schedules, thereby costing the Treasury some \$87,000 more than the 1922 pay schedule would authorize; therefore, to equalize matters, we approve of a proviso that repudiates the retirement pay law, uniformly respected by Congress for the preceding sixty-three years and that deprives 873 senior retired officers (practically all veterans of two or more wars) of \$493,000 pay morally due them under the retirement law in effect when they retired."

If what is "sauce for the goose be sauce for the gander," the Department might extend its reasoning a step further:

Whereas, several hundred junior officers on the active list on July 1, 1922, are privileged, under the "saving clause" of Sec. 16 of the 1922 pay act, to continue to draw their pay under the somewhat greater 1908 pay schedule, thereby entailing several thousand dollars extra expense upon the Treasury.

Therefore, to equalize matters, the Department will approve of a proviso "that nothing contained in Sec. 16 or in any other section of the 1922 Service Pay act shall authorize an increase over the 1908 pay schedule of any officer on the active list on July 1, 1922," thereby saving the Treasury several million dollars.

RETIRADO VIEJO.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Questions having to do with military or naval matters will be answered in this department as soon as possible after their receipt. Communications must in all cases be signed, giving the correct name and address of the inquirer.

CORPL. J. T. B., FORT HAMILTON, N.Y.—At present there are thirty-seven men on the eligible list for appointment to the grade of staff sergeant (electrician 2d class), C. A.C.

SERGEANT E. A. E., FORT BLISS, TEX.—You are entitled under the provisions of Circular 142, W.D., 1920, and Comptroller's decisions of Dec. 13, 1917, 24 Comptroller, 345. Suggest that you submit claim to the General Accounting Office, Claims Division, Washington, D.C.

H. G. S., GERMANTOWN, PHILADELPHIA, PA.—With respect to your inquiry,

nothing of a definite nature has been decided upon. Whether or not Gen. Pershing will remain on the active list of the Army is still to be decided by Congress. In the event that a celebration is held in Washington, it is possible that the 1st Division would participate in same.

CAPT., F.A., writes: May service as a cadet in the U.S. Coast Guard Academy be counted as service in determining longevity pay?

Answer: This is answered in the negative. L. D. A., INF., JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MO.—Double time commences from arrival at the first port of call therein and terminates on departure from the last port of call therein. In other words, actual service therein.

1ST SERGT., RET., F. H. G., NEW YORK CITY.—We suggest that you communicate with the Adjutant General of New York, Albany, N.Y., for the information asked in your letter.

PVT. A. J. H., MILWAUKEE, WIS.—The bill for promotion of men on the D.E.M.L. is included in the Omnibus bill, which has passed the Senate and is now before the House committee. It is believed that it will be passed at this session.

W. E. C., Q.M.C., FORT BENNING, GA.—You are No. 47 on the list for reappointment to technical sergeant, Q.M.C.

J. C., DETROIT, MICH., asks: If a soldier is held over his enlistment period for court-martial and is found "not guilty," is he entitled to any extra pay? If so, how much?

Answer: The soldier in question would be entitled to his regular pay plus any additional longevity pay which may have accrued by reason of retention in the Service.

SERGEANT G. S. R., CAMP JOHN HAY, P.I.—You are No. 79 on the list for promotion to staff sergeant, Q.M.C. It will be necessary for you to take the examination in October.

H. H., Q.M.C., FORT MCINTOSH, TEXAS.—You are No. 7 on the list for promotion to technical sergeant, Q.M.C. Promotions will be made as vacancies occur until October examinations are held. After that promotions will be made as a result of the competitive examinations.

ANXIOUS.—No definite information relative to the tour of duty being reduced in the Canal Zone from three to two years can be obtained.

SERGEANT J. H. D., ORD. DEPT., FORT BRAGG, N.C.—You are No. 7 on the list for promotion to staff sergeant, Ordnance Department.

STAFF SERGT. W. G., 10TH INF., FORT THOMAS, KY.—Paragraph 401, Army Regulations, 1913, states: "As a rule a personal salute is to be fired when the personage entitled to it enters a post. Personal salutes at the same place and in compliance to the same person, whether civil, diplomatic, military, or naval, are never to be fired oftener than once a year, unless such person shall have been in the meantime advanced in rank." It is believed that the new regulations pertaining to salutes will be published in the near future. It is possible that the above may be changed.

J. L., FORT DOUGLAS, UTAH.—Part of Sec. 9 of the act of June 10, 1922, reads as follows: "Enlisted men of the Army and Marine Corps shall receive, as a permanent addition to their pay, an increase of 5 per centum of their base pay for each four years of service in any of the Services mentioned in the title of this act not to exceed 25 per centum."

SERVICE PUBLICATIONS

The ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL would like to get in touch with officers who read German, Italian and Spanish fluently, for the purpose of reviewing foreign military books.

SCOUTING AND PATROLING. Training Regulations No. 200-5. Prepared under the Direction of the Chief of Infantry. Washington: Government Printing Office. Price 10 cents.

This, the latest of the pamphlet training regulations to appear, is a distinct innovation in the history of War Department manuals. Not only does it have all the distinct advantages of profuse illustration which the Army and Navy Journal has already mentioned editorially as constituting the chief advantage of the new Infantry Drill pamphlet, but it has a better and more systematic organization. It ranks with Rifle Marksmanship as a pre-eminent manual, for it not only tells what should be taught as part of the training, but tells how that knowledge should be used, and—what is most important to a nation which depends upon citizen soldiers who must be trained when war comes by a variety of instructors of variant ability and experience—it also tells how the topic should be taught. It is so far superior to the old "Scouting and Patrolling" pamphlet (W.D. Doc. 772) as to be in a separate class altogether.

There are seven chapters, or sections, taking up in turn and in a logical and consistent order: Individual conduct of a scout by day; Individual conduct of a scout by night; Platoon scouts; Night patrolling; Observers and snipers; The use of patrols; and a series of suggestive aids to scouts. Yet it is not the content, so much as the arrangement, that is worthy of remark and of praise.

Since the publication of the 1911 Infantry Drill Regulations it has not been the custom of the War Department to indicate the authors of its regulations, and yet it is fairly

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well known that this excellent plan and method originated and was made effective by Maj. McDermott (now at West Point) with classes at the Infantry School and that the equally excellent illustrations are the work of Lt. Byrne. If the present reviewer is blamed for thus giving them public credit for their distinct contributions to military training, he can only reply that credit is all they can get, for their text and illustrations have long since been appropriated by others and incorporated in volumes bearing the names of others which bring financial profit to others, who have taken with impunity because neither the Infantry School nor the War Department can copyright its material. The others may get the cash; at least let these have the credit.

ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF THE MONROE DOCTRINE. By David Yancy Thomas. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$4.

As that industrious but not always sound writer, Mr. Inman, has already remarked, the Monroe Doctrine is—like the proverbial politician—all things to all people. In this volume a professor of history at the University of Arkansas has summarized the history of 100 years of American isolation, protection and non-interference doctrine in a convenient volume. His facts appear reliable enough, but he has no hesitation in criticizing certain aspects of American foreign policy which the armed forces of the United States have at times been constrained to carry out. Such seems to be the habit of most of our people when they write of this topic, at least ever since Mr. Roosevelt made some remarks about the acquisition of the Canal route and since Gen. Butler organized the Haitian constabulary.

If the Army man and the Navy man—unable to criticize the policies which as a servant of the Government and the people he is constrained to put into effect—can remember that a warm collar belongs in the tropics and not in a reading chair and perhaps overlook some of the very occasional pointed phraseology, he will find this volume of use in telling him of many things of which too many of us are inclined to be ignorant.

BOOKS RECEIVED.

East Persia. A Backwater of the Great War, by Brig. Gen. W. E. R. Dickson, C.M.G., C.I.E.; Edward Arnold & Co., 41 Maddox St., London, England; 15 shillings.

THE CONGRESS

BILLS INTRODUCED

H.R. 8802, Mr. McSwain.—To amend the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 30, 1922, relative to the elimination of commissioned personnel. That any officer eliminated from the active list of commissioned personnel of the Regular Army under the provisions of the above act, whose enlisted service in the Regular Army, added to his commissioned service, shall aggregate more than ten and less than twenty years shall, upon his own application, be recommissioned in the grade held by him at the date of elimination and placed on the retired list with 2½ per centum of the pay of his grade multiplied by the whole number of his years of service, commissioned and enlisted.

That any officer whose enlisted service in the Regular Army added to his commissioned service shall aggregate more than twenty years shall, on his own application, be recommissioned in the grade held by him at the date of his elimination and placed on the retired list with 3 per centum of the pay of his grade multiplied by the whole number of his years of service, commissioned and enlisted.

Sec. 2. That no officer eliminated who accepted one year's pay upon elimination shall be eligible for recommission under the provisions of this act, unless he shall refund to the United States the amount received by him as such one year's pay.

PENSION INCREASES

The House on April 21 passed, without amendment, the Senate bill (S. 5) increasing the rates of pensions under various existing laws. As the bill now goes to the President, it makes the following rates:

Civil War and Mexican War veterans, \$72; Civil War widows, age 60 years, \$35; 74 years, \$45; dependent child of veteran's deceased or remarried widow, \$30.

Mexican War widow remarried and later returning to status of veteran's widow, \$30; dependent child, \$8.

Army nurses of Civil War, \$50. Indian War veterans, \$30; age 72, \$40; age 75, \$50; widows, \$20.

Spanish War veterans' disability pension, \$20 to \$50 according to degree of inability to earn support; age 62, \$20; 68, \$30; 72, \$40; 75, \$50. Nurses are included in title to pension under this section.

Loss of limb, \$85 to \$100; both arms, both legs, or both eyes, \$125.

The President up to April 30 had not signed the bill. He was awaiting a report on the measure from the Commissioner of Pensions.

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THE following candidates have been examined and found qualified for appointment in the grade of assistant surgeon, rank of lieutenant (j.g.) in the Medical Corps of the Navy: Ora M. Holman, M.D., 521 East Portland street, Phoenix, Ariz.; John S. Harlow, jr., 7 Craigie Circle, Cambridge, Mass.

THE application of Capt. Henry N. Jensen, U.S.N., to be placed on the retired list of the Navy after thirty years of service, has been approved by the President, to take effect June 1, 1924.

PAY CLERK HARRY S. MacKAN, U.S.N., has become eligible for promotion to chief pay clerk, to rank from April 27.

OBITUARIES

BUCK.—Former Lt. Comdr. William H. Buck, U.S.N., who entered the U.S. Naval Academy as a naval cadet in 1886 and was graduated in 1890, died at Mobile, Ala., April 19, 1924. He resigned from the Navy Dec. 31, 1902, to enter business. At the time of his death he had been a resident of Mobile for some fourteen years and was secretary-treasurer of the McGowan Lumber and Export Co. for more than ten years. For distinguished service during the war with Spain he was awarded the Special Meritorious Medal. A native of Port Gibson, Miss., the deceased was 55 years of age at the time of death and is survived by a number of relatives, including two brothers, Dr. Jefferies Buck of Baltimore and E. J. Buck of Mobile; one sister, Mrs. Wilmer Brinton of Baltimore.

COREY.—Lt. Dunnleigh Corey, Med. Corps, U.S.N., died at the naval hospital, Washington, this week. He leaves a widow. Lt. Corey was born in Pennsylvania April 13, 1890, and was appointed June 20, 1922.

EATON.—Died at Duluth, Minn., April 23, 1924, Capt. G. A. Eaton, commander of the Minnesota Naval Militia. He was fifty-three years of age.

HICKEY.—Mr. Thomas J. Hickey, father of Comdr. A. S. Hickey, died at his home at Kingston, N.Y., on April 13, 1924, in the seventy-first year of his age. Mr. Hickey is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mary and Dolorita.

HUMPHREY.—Died, at Battle Creek, Mich., April 18, 1924, Mr. Elmer Humphrey, brother of Mrs. White, wife of Lt. Col. G. H. White, U.S.A., retired, and Mrs. Landon Dudley. He leaves also a nephew, Lt. Edwin J. McAllister, 10th Inf., Fort Hayes, Ohio, and a niece, Margaret McAllister.

JONES.—Mary Bacon, daughter of the late Lt. Col. Francis B. Jones, U.S.A., died at Nice, France, on April 28, 1924. Interment abroad.

MARSH.—Died at East Orange, N.J., April 15, 1924, Ralph Marsh, father of Lt. William Lawrence Marsh, U.S.N.

MARTIN.—Mr. Fred Martin, father of Mrs. Russell P. Reeder, who is now in Honolulu, died on April 26, 1924, as a result of a stroke of paralysis and was buried beside the body of his wife in the family plot at Tuscaloosa, Ala. At the time of his stroke he was visiting another daughter, Mrs. J. J. Mayfield, at Montgomery, Ala. The third daughter, Mrs. Forrest E. Willford, now at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., reached her father's bedside at Montgomery before his death.

McCULLY.—Flying Cadet Robert H. McCully, who was killed in the fall of his ship at Kelly Field April 17, 1924, was born at Anderson, S.C., Nov. 10, 1897. He was a cadet at the Citadel until June, 1916, when he went to the border as color sergeant of 1st Infantry, S.C.N.G. He served overseas as second lieutenant with 118th Infantry, which regiment his father, Col. P. K. McCully, commanded. Returning to the United States in August, 1918, as a trench mortar instructor, he was promoted first lieutenant and attached to the 20th Division at Camp Sevier, S.C. He held a

commission as first lieutenant, O.R.C. On the day preceding his death Cadet McCully completed his final examination for commission in the Air Service, U.S. Army.

WEBSTER.—Daniel Homer Webster, second lieutenant, Inf. O.R.C., age twenty-two, was instantly killed while working upon a high-tension wire at Pharr, Texas, April 5, 1924. He was the only son of Mrs. Ida Ogden Webster, who has been identified with the Post Office Department in San Antonio, Texas, for over twenty years. He graduated with honor in 1922 from the A. and M. College of Texas, where he took the course of electrical engineering. During his college career he took more than the average interest in military activities, having attended three R.O.T.C. camps, and was also a member of the 8th Corps Area, R.O.T.C., rifle team at the National Matches at Camp Perry, Ohio, in 1922. Funeral services were held at the home of his mother, 120 East Agarita avenue, San Antonio, the interment being in that city.

ENGAGEMENTS

HILL—LAWES, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frederick Lawes of 228 Tremont avenue, Orange, N.J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Selma Emelie, to Cadet John Gillespie Hill, U.S. Corps of Cadets, class of 1924. Miss Lawes is a graduate of Maryland College for Women. Mr. Hill is the son of Mr. R. J. Hill of Liberal, Kas., and served a year with the A.E.F. in France. The announcement was made at a bridge given by Miss Lawes for Miss Helen Gray Whitmore of East Orange, who will be married to Lt. Thomas Francis Keefe of Fort Sill in June. The wedding of Miss Lawes and Mr. Hill will take place next December.

HICKS—FECHTELER. Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Amy Fechteler and Ens. Robert Iverson Hicks, jr. Miss Fechteler is the daughter of the late Rear Adm. Augustus F. Fechteler, U.S.N., and Mrs. Maud M. Fechteler of Annapolis; granddaughter of Judge and Mrs. William M. Morrow of San Francisco and niece of Col. and Mrs. Henry L. Roosevelt of Paris and New York. Ens. Hicks is the son of the late Dr. John R. Hicks and Mrs. Hicks of Warrenton, Va., and New York. He is attached to the U.S.S. West Virginia.

KANE—SMITH. Lt. Col. Walter D. Smith, U.S.A., and Mrs. Smith announce the engagement of their daughter, Beverly Egerton, to Lt. Francis B. Kane, U.S.A. The marriage will take place early in June.

MOSS—BEAN. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bean of Annapolis announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise, to Mdsn. Richard S. Moss, class of '24. Mr. Moss is the son of Lt. Col. James A. Moss, F.A., and Mrs. Moss, and the grandson of the late Brig. Gen. Edgar R. Kellogg and Mrs. Kellogg. Mr. Moss's class graduates June 4, and the wedding will take place at four o'clock that afternoon at St. Anne's Church, on the Circle. A reception will follow at the home of the bride, 16 Thompson street, for close friends and relatives.

REED—MOSES. Col. Andrew Moses, Field Art., U.S.A., and Mrs. Moses announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen, to Lt. Frank Fenton Reed, U.S.A. The wedding will take place in June.

SERVICE WEDDINGS

MENOCAL—JOHNSON. Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Margaret Doyle Johnson and Ens. George Lawrence Menocal, U.S.N., on April 25, 1924, in San Diego, Calif. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Tipton Wood of the U.S. Naval Hospital. The bride and bridegroom were attended by their intimate friends, Lt. Harold S. Sumerlin (M.C.), U.S.N., and Mrs. Sumerlin. After a brief wedding journey Ens. and Mrs. Menocal will be at home in San Pedro, where Ens. Menocal is attached to the U.S.S. Mississippi.

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George van Deurs, Lt. (j.g.), U.S.N., on April 13, 1924, at Pensacola, Fla. At home, naval air station, Pensacola.

WOLF-FAIRFIELD. Mrs. Fairfield announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary Wynne, to Lt. Paul Wakefield Wolf, Air Ser., U.S.A., Dec. 26, 1923, at San Antonio, Texas. At home, Kelly Field.

BIRTHS

BRANNON.—Born to Lt. E. M. Brannon, 15th Inf., U.S.A., and Mrs. Brannon at Tientsin, China, March 9, 1924, a daughter, Joan Virginia.

McGILL.—Lt. Joseph E. McGill, C.A.C., U.S.A., and Mrs. McGill announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Jane, at Lying-In Hospital, Boston, Mass., on April 22, 1924.

WYMAN.—A daughter, Patricia Anne, was born to Lt. Willard Gordon Wyman, U.S.A., and Mrs. Wyman at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., April 15, 1924.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Lyman, wife of Col. C. H. Lyman, U.S.M.C., is a guest at the Willard Hotel in Washington for a few days.

Comdr. Frederick G. Pyne, U.S.N., and Mrs. Pyne have as their guests in Washington their sons, Midshipmen Schuyler U. Pyne and Charles C. Pyne.

Mrs. Barnett, wife of Maj. Gen. George Barnett, U.S.M.C., and her daughter, Mrs. Robert Dickey, Jr., have returned to Washington from a short visit to Philadelphia.

Maj. Gen. W. G. Haan, U.S.A., and Mrs. Haan of Milwaukee are spending some time in Washington and have taken an apartment at the Chastelton on 16th street.

Commodore Albert W. Stahl, U.S.N., and Mrs. Stahl of Washington have been called to Lafayette, Ind., by the death of Mrs. Stahl's brother, Judge Henry H. Vinton.

Rear Adm. George F. Winslow, U.S.N., and Mrs. Winslow, who spent the winter at St. Augustine, Fla., are now in Washington for a short stay before opening their summer home at Bedford, Mass.

Maj. Gen. J. H. Pendleton, U.S.M.C., and Mrs. Pendleton of San Diego, who have been spending some time in Washington, are now the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Albert Rockwell, at Warren, Pa.

Mrs. Burke, wife of Ens. Arleigh A. Burke, U.S.N., who has been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gorsuch in Washington, has returned to Long Beach, Calif., and joined Ens. Burke.

Maj. Gen. Robert Lee Bullard, U.S.A., was the guest of honor on April 29 at a luncheon given by the Civilian Club at the Hotel Astor, New York city. Gen. Bullard addressed the members on the value of "Citizens' Military Training Camps."

Mrs. Donaldson, wife of Col. T. O. Donaldson, U.S.A., has returned to Washington from Atlantic City, where she has been recuperating from illness. Col. and Mrs. Donaldson have been joined at their home by their son, Mr. John O. Donaldson of New York.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Gordon Johnston left Manila on Feb. 26, en route to the United States, via Suez. They are visiting Egypt, Asia Minor, Constantinople and Athens, Italy, France, and London will also be visited. They expect to arrive in the United States before the middle of June. Address care of Robert Garrett and Sons, Baltimore, Md.

Suit for annulment of her marriage to 2d Lt. David S. Babcock, 15th F.A., stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, was filed in New York city last week by Mrs. Georgia Babcock. Mrs. Babcock alleges that she is a Roman Catholic, and that after a ceremony before a Justice of the Peace, her husband refused to have a religious service performed. She declares that he went to his station at Fort Sam Houston, leaving her in New York, and that she never lived with him.

Mrs. James A. Moss, who has been residing at Fort Leavenworth the past winter, while Col. Moss has been attending the Command and General Staff School, expects to go East with her son, Romeyn, early in May, to attend the marriage of her eldest son, Richard, at Annapolis, on June 4. Mrs. Moss will make a short visit with relatives in Ohio and will be located at 2225 St. Paul street, Baltimore, from May 21 to 28, to be with her daughter, Pauline, during her closing week at Goucher College. During June Week they will be in Annapolis.

Brig. Gen. C. R. Krauthoff, U.S.A., is spending several months at the Hotel Monte Carlo Palace and Grand Hotel de Londres, Monte Carlo.

Lt. Comdr. H. F. Bruns, E.C., U.S.N., has returned to duty in the Bureau of Yards and Docks, following the expiration of three months' sick leave.

Mrs. Heston R. Cole and "Tony," wife and son of Lt. Cole, C.E., sailed on April 19 on the Cunard Line from New York to visit relatives in London and Scotland.

Capt. Fred P. Andrews, S. C., U.S.A., office of the Chief Signal Officer, addressed the officers in that office on April 16 on the installation of radio equipment in the War Department net.

Mrs. William Pennock Rogers, widow of Gen. W. P. Rogers, and her sister, Miss Kate Browning, have returned to their home in Winona, Minn., after a stay of four months in Southern Florida.

Lt. A. K. Fogg, C.E., U.S.N., has reported for duty in the Bureau of Yards and Docks and has been assigned temporarily to the Shipbuilding Facilities, Yard Development and Storage Section.

Col. and Mrs. S. M. deLoffre, who have been spending the winter in Italy and on the Riviera, have returned to Paris, where they will be until June 1, when they will go to London for a month, and later to Switzerland.

Maj. George W. Cocheu, U.S.A., and Mrs. Cocheu have returned from Manila, P.I. They arrived in San Francisco April 18, on the Pacific Mail S.S. President Wilson, and are now at 323 Main street, Johnstown, Pa.

Col. J. J. Bradley, U.S.A., and Mrs. Bradley, at Fort Slocum, had as weekend guests their son, Lt. Joseph S. Bradley, who is en route station at San Antonio, Texas, after service in China, and his wife, and Miss Gabrielle Sewell of Bryn Mawr College and Oregon.

Col. George B. Pond has just reported for duty at Fort Slocum and assumed the post of executive officer. Col. Pond has been in command of Fort Schuyler, and it is expected that he will be in command at Fort Slocum after the departure of the 18th Infantry for Camp Dix.

Capt. Walter R. Gherardi, U.S.N., who has been on duty with the Scouting Fleet in command of the Aircraft Squadrons, has been appointed aid to Secretary of the Navy Wilbur. He will be relieved as commander of the air squadrons by Capt. H. E. Yarnell, now commanding the naval air station at Hampton Roads, Va.

The infant son of Maj. and Mrs. John Nesmith Greely, was christened John Chapman, on Eastereven, April 19, at St. John's Church, Washington, by the Rev. Dr. Johnson. The godparents were Gen. Summerall, Messrs. Ralph and Ward Chapman, brothers of Mrs. Greely; Mrs. Fitzhugh Lee and Miss Julia Mattis. Lt. Col. George Marshall acted as sponsor for Gen. Summerall and Miss Rose Greely for Mrs. Lee. The baby is a grandson of Maj. Gen. A. W. Greely and of Hon. and Mrs. P. T. Chapman of Illinois. Tea was served immediately following the services in the Wyoming.

Mrs. Maurice Cardwell, who has been director of the Quartermaster Corps Welfare Service since Maj. Gen. W. H. Hart became Q.M.G., has resigned her office, effective April 30. Mrs. Anna Farrar, Welfare worker at the Washington Barracks, will take charge on May 1. In a little statement to the officers and employees in the office of the Quartermaster General Mrs. Cardwell says, in part: "I wish to take this opportunity to express to all of you my deep appreciation for the many kindnesses extended me and the consideration which has been shown to me and to the Welfare Service. I assure you, I am leaving with keen regret and I shall always cherish the memory of my short but pleasant stay with you."

Brig. Gen. William Weigel, U.S.A., made an inspection of the contemplated contact camp for Reserve officers, 2d Corps Area, April 23, at Palisade Park, and Bear Mountain Reserve, near Blauvelt, N.Y. On April 24 he was at Binghamton, N.Y., to address the Rotary Club and Kiwanis Club on C.M.T.C. activities for the summer 1924, and in the evening he addressed the Binghamton Chapter, Reserve Officers' Association, on Reserve Officers' Training Corps activities, our national security, etc. He was designated by the Secretary of War, on April 26, as his representative at the presentation of the War Department shooting trophy (best shooting, National Guard company in the United States) to Co. F, 10th Inf., N.Y. N.G., at Walton, N.Y.

Miss Mary Chitty, daughter of Col. and Mrs. William D. Chitty of Washington, is making an extended visit with friends at West Point and New York.

Capt. Edward M. George, Q.M.C., lately on duty at Fort Bragg, N.C., has reported to the Quartermaster General in Washington, for duty in the construction service, in his office.

Col. William A. Shunk, U.S.A., and Mrs. Shunk have as their guest in Washington, Mrs. Shunk's sister, Mrs. Lee Clinton of Tulsa, Okla., a delegate to the D.A.R. Congress.

Col. Arthur W. Yates, Q.M.C., commanding the San Francisco General Intermediate Depot, who is on an extended leave, has been in Washington during the past week visiting old friends.

Chief Pharm. William G. Bartle, U.S.N., has been detached from duty at the naval hospital, Pearl Harbor, T.H., for duty at the receiving barracks, Hampton Roads, Va., via the U.S.S. Chaumont.

Maj. Roger S. Parrott, Field Art., U.S.A., on duty at Fort Leavenworth, is among the officers recently awarded the D.S.C. for extraordinary heroism in action against hostile Moros on Patian Island, P.I., July 4, 1909.

"Child Thoughts," a poem by Lettice Lee Coulling, the gifted young daughter of the late Maj. William Meade Coulling, U.S.A., has been published in *Glimpses*, a national anthology of verse. Lettice is now a student at Dana Hall School, near Boston.

Gen. A. J. Bowley, commandant at Fort Bragg, N.C., and Lt. Col. P. H. McAndrew, M.C., were in attendance at the State Medical Society meeting at Raleigh on April 15. The former addressed the section of medical veterans and Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, and the latter the section on public health and education.

Members and guests at the Army Day luncheon of the Providence Lions Club, Providence, R.I., held April 15, listened to Col. W. B. Burt, U.S.A., of the Headquarters Staff of the 1st Corps Area, Boston, analyze America's progress in the matter of national defense, and explain the advantages of the National Defense act of 1916, as amended in 1920.

Mrs. John S. Loud celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday anniversary on April 23. She is with her son, Lt. Col. James M. Loud, U.S.A., retired, and daughter, Mrs. F. F. Longley, at the Alden Park Manor, Detroit, Mich. Col. F. F. Longley has just recently returned from Australia, where he was with the Rockefeller Foundation for over two years.

Mrs. Paul Hendren, wife of Lt. Comdr. Hendren, U.S.N., and her mother, Mrs. Stimson Brown, widow of Commodore Brown, retired, will return to the United States on the S.S. America, arriving about May 4. Mrs. Hendren and her mother have spent the winter and spring in Italy, Southern France and in Paris.

Both Lt. Col. Richard H. Jordan, Q.M.C., Chief of the Water Transport Division, office of the Quartermaster General, and his assistant, Capt. Harley A. Dresback, Q.M.C., will be relieved from duty in his office between now and June. Col. Jordan will leave Washington next week for duty in China, while Capt. Dresback has been assigned as National Guard instructor, Louisville, Ky., where he will assume his new duties in June.

Maj. Gen. William G. Haan, U.S.A., retired, who was commander of the Red Arrow Division in the World War, and who is now a member of the staff of the Milwaukee (Wis.) Journal, was notified April 1, that he had been cited for gallantry for the part he played against insurgent forces in the Philippine Islands, Feb. 5, 1899. Gen. Haan joined the staff of the Milwaukee Journal Nov. 7, 1923, shortly after he had been retired from the active service. At present he is engaged in writing articles on international subjects. His most recent work has been on the Philippine situation.

Lt. Comdr. Godfrey L. Carden, U.S.C.G., retired, who is known as an energetic and efficient officer, desires active service and to this end a bill (H.R. 8747) has been introduced for the restoration of Comdr. Carden to the active list in the grade of lieutenant commander. The bill has been referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs. Comdr. Carden during the World War was appointed, after the Black Tom explosion, as officer in charge of the enforcement of laws regarding the handling of explosives at the port of New York. He performed very valuable services and vigorously enforced an absolute compliance with regulations.

Mrs. Louis M. Nuttman, after an extensive visit in Norfolk, Va., will be at the Westmoreland, Washington, D.C., for some time.

Lt. Col. John E. Hemphill, C., U.S.A., commanding officer at Camp Vail, N.J., who has been on a leave for four months, has returned to duty.

Capt. R. H. Leigh, U.S.N., Assistant Chief of Bureau of Navigation, delivered a lecture on naval personnel at the Naval War College on May 2.

Maj. W. R. Scott, Inf., U.S.A., in charge of Ordnance matters in the office of the Chief of Infantry, has been assigned to the 1st Division, effective about Oct. 1.

Mrs. John J. Gallagher and daughter Katherine of Lancaster, Pa., are guests of Mrs. Gallagher's brother-in-law and sister, Maj. and Mrs. Cleveland C. Gee, at Kansas City, Mo.

Misses Isabel and Marguerite Lomia of New Rochelle, N.Y., daughters of the late Col. Luigi Lomia, U.S.A., sailed on the S.S. Franconia April 30 for a four months' tour of Scotland and the Continent.

Miss Claudia Reed of Washington, daughter of Col. Beverly A. Reed, U.S.A., and Mrs. Reed, is spending some time in New York with her cousin, Mrs. Benjamin H. Hardaway of Columbus, Ga.

Warrant Officer Frank J. Keenan, U.S.A., and Mrs. Keenan of Chicago will leave during the month of June on a three months' auto trip which will include New York state and Ontario, Canada, visiting relatives and friends en route.

Mrs. Goldman, widow of Col. Henry J. Goldman, U.S.A., and Miss Goldman will spend the summer with Capt. Alfred M. Goldman, 5th F.A., at Fort Bragg, N.C. The death of Col. Goldman on April 11 was noted in this paper April 26.

Rear Adm. A. T. Long, U.S.N., Chief, Bureau of Navigation, will leave for Paris about June in charge of the Navy Olympic team. Capt. C. R. Train, on duty in the Bureau of Navigation, will accompany him as aid. They will remain abroad until the completion of the games.

ENTERTAINMENTS

Senior officers of the Supply Corps of the Navy on duty in Washington joined with many outside of Washington in giving a dinner on April 28 in honor of Rear Adm. J. S. Carpenter, Supply Corps, U.S.N., who retires on account of reaching the age of 64 years on May 18, 1924. There were about forty participants in the dinner, including the former Paymaster General of the Navy, Rear Adm. T. J. Cowie, S.C. It is probable that more of the ranking officers of the Supply Corps were assembled at this dinner than were ever assembled together at any one time in the history of the corps. After a few remarks by Adm. Cowie, Rear Adm. David Potter gave the toast, "Rear Adm. Carpenter," the speaker using the quotation from Hamlet as his text—"He was a man, take him for all in all, I never shall behold his like again." The Paymaster General read a letter from Secretary Wilbur expressing the Navy Department's deep appreciation of Adm. Carpenter's exceptionally long and notable naval service which the record "shows to have been marked throughout by a high conception of duty and regard for the finest ideals and traditions of the United States Navy." Adm. Carpenter gave a delightful talk in response to the tributes rendered him.

Mrs. Emma E. Whitney, mother of Maj. F. W. Whitney, U.S.A., was a luncheon hostess at the Fort Leavenworth Officers' Club on April 25. The guest of honor was Mrs. Elvid Hunt, president of the Fort Leavenworth Women's Club. Other guests were Mmes. N. J. Wiley, F. M. Armstrong, I. J. Nichol, B. G. Ruttenutter, C. H. White, L. Baker, A. B. Conard, B. L. Carroll, A. E. Sawkins, E. B. Miller and I. E. Titus. Mrs. O. J. Linck, Mrs. J. S. Biddle and Mrs. A. J. Drechsel of Leavenworth and Mrs. Gordon of Texas were present from off the post. The table decorations were a large basket of pink roses and carnations, banked with pink sweet peas. Silver candlesticks with pink tapers were used and pink confections were served. The after-dinner stories of Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Whitney were much enjoyed. Luncheon was followed by bridge and mah jong.

Capt. Adolphus Andrews, U.S.N., and Mrs. Andrews entertained at dinner on the Mayflower at the Washington Navy Yard on April 22 in honor of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur. The guests included Rear Adm. and Mrs. Hilary P. Jones, Rear Adm. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchison, Maj. Gen. and

Mrs. J. A. Lejeune, Rear Adm. and Mrs. Joseph Strauss, Rear Adm. A. T. Long, Mrs. Chapin, Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Gibbons, Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Leigh, Comdr. and Mrs. J. H. Magruder and Miss Fields.

Brig. Gen. Denis Nolan, U.S.A., and Mrs. Nolan entertained at dinner in Washington on April 25 preceding the last of the Army dances in honor of Gen. John J. Pershing.

Col. T. Q. Donaldson, U.S.A., and Mrs. Donaldson entertained at dinner in Washington on April 24 and later took their guests to the officers' hop at Fort Myer.

Comdr. W. W. Galbraith, U.S.N., and Mrs. Galbraith entertained at dinner in Washington at the Hotel Hamilton on April 24.

Maj. Gen. Willard A. Holbrook, U.S.A., and Mrs. Holbrook entertained at dinner in Washington on April 25.

Capt. Oscar K. Wolber, U.S.A., and Mrs. Wolber entertained at bridge in honor of Maj. David H. Hayes, O.R.C., of Rumford, Me., at their home, 96 Wood street, Lewiston, Me., on April 22. The guests included Mmes. F. J. Gross, Amy Wilder and Daniel Dexter, Mr. Clyde Getchel, Capt. D. S. Dexter, Maine N.G., and Mr. Orlando Lane. Capt. Wolber is executive officer of the 303d Infantry, Organized Reserves.

Mrs. Clyde Gray West had as her guests for the Easter holidays Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. W. N. Richardson, jr., Mdsn. Steve Marchet, Mdsn. James R. Dancy of the U.S. Naval Academy, and Miss Lankford of Baltimore. Mrs. West entertained at bridge in her apartment at the Roosevelt Friday evening in compliment to her guests.

A Navy Relief carnival was given at the Norfolk Navy Yard on April 22 in the sail loft. Mrs. Ziegemeier, wife of the commandant, was chairman of the executive committee, and officers of the navy yard, marine barracks and naval hospital and their wives comprised the membership of the committees. A vaudeville entertainment with talent from the battleship Texas was given under the management of Ens. Pierce, entertainment officer of that vessel. Competing quartets sang for a \$10 cash prize and a trophy, which were awarded to the quartet from the naval operating base at Hampton Roads. Contestants from each ship at the yard, the hospital and the base competed in a modified form of "battle royal" for another \$10 cash prize and trophy plaque. This was won by the U.S.S. Capella. Other entertainment was provided in the form of "jitney" dancing, with two orchestras alternating to provide music, a "bingo" table, candy wheels, fortune telling, etc. Ice cream cones, drinks, "hot dogs," peanuts, etc., were on sale. The sail loft was cleared and decorated and lighted and the scene offered was of a distinctly naval character and very picturesque and attractive. Over 2,000 persons attended, including many enlisted men and their friends. Besides netting a considerable sum for the Navy Relief Society "a good time was had by all."

Mrs. Paul W. Blanchard, wife of Chief Musician Paul W. Blanchard, U.S.A., retired, on April 22 entertained at a luncheon party at her home in Highland Park, Ill. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. William Herring of Detroit.

Maj. Gen. John L. Hines, U.S.A., and Mrs. Hines entertained at dinner in Washington on April 16 in honor of Gen. John J. Pershing. Among the guests were Representative and Mrs. J. Mayhew Wainwright, the Military Attaché of the British Embassy and Mrs. Charlton, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Mason Wright and Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant.

Capt. Adolphus Andrews, U.S.N., and Mrs. Andrews entertained at dinner on board the Mayflower in Washington on April 22 in honor of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur.

Comdr. W. W. Galbraith, U.S.N., and Mrs. Galbraith entertained at dinner in Washington at the Hotel Hamilton on April 11.

Rear Adm. Guy H. Burrage, U.S.N., and Mrs. Burrage entertained at a tea in Washington on April 25 in honor of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur.

Mrs. Gantz, wife of Lt. D. S. Gantz, U. S.N., entertained at a bridge party in Washington on April 8 in honor of Mrs. Leslie Bratton and Mrs. Guisard Broom.

Miss Anne Bryan, daughter of Rear Adm. B. C. Bryan, U.S.N., and Mrs. Bryan, whose marriage to Lt. R. E. S. Williamson, U.S.A., took place on April 21 in Washington, was the guest of honor

at a bridge party given by Miss Margaret Dodge on April 12.

Mrs. Brumby, wife of Capt. Frank H. Brumby, U.S.N., entertained informally at her home in the Washington Navy Yard on April 22 in honor of her sister, Miss Cornelia Truxtun of Norfolk.

Col. Jack Hayes, U.S.A., and Mrs. Hayes entertained at dinner in Washington on April 25.

Col. Frederick Coleman, U.S.A., and Mrs. Coleman entertained at dinner at their newly completed home at Edgemore, Md., on April 24.

Mrs. Price, wife of Maj. X. H. Price, U.S.A., entertained at a bridge tea in Washington on April 18 in honor of Miss Lucy Gillette of Pittsburgh, who is a guest of Miss Virginia Edwards.

THE Q.M. CORPS

SIXTY Reserve quartermasters of Washington assembled at headquarters in the Graham building on April 15 to inaugurate their "Winter Plattsburg." Lt. Col. W. R. Gibson, Q.M.C., liaison officer for war planning, and Lt. Col. John Scott, Inf., in charge of the Organized Reserves of Washington, outlined the course and presented the initial problem to be solved.

GENEROUS contributions from the officers and civilian employees on duty in the office of the Quartermaster General, have started the Quartermaster Corps Athletic Association for 1924 most auspiciously. Bowling, baseball, tennis and golf are the four sports included in the athletic program, each of which has a committee selected by the chairman. The men's bowling championship was won by Arthur Husted, while that of the ladies was won by Miss Lillian M. Bleich.

Maj. F. J. Riley, jr., Q.M.C., athletic officer, appointed by the Quartermaster General; William F. Murphy, chairman, Athletic Council; Thomas L. Bigham, vice chairman; Miss G. E. Lockard, secretary; Miss Margarette I. Connors, treasurer.

NAVY NURSE CORPS

THE following Navy nurses have completed a course in anesthetics at the institutions named: Grace A. Bidgood at the Schools of Nursing, University of Pennsylvania; will be stationed at Mare Island. Louise Cooke at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland; will be stationed at naval hospital, League Island. Olive I. Riley at Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland; will be stationed at naval hospital, Great Lakes, Ill.

Recent transfers—Sue S. Dauser, chief nurse, to U.S.S. Relief, from Mare Island; Minnie Duff Smith, chief nurse, to naval dispensary, navy yard, Washington, from U.S.S. Relief; Margaret M. Aughavan, nurse, to naval hospital, Canacao, P.I., from naval hospital, Washington, D.C.

New appointments—Lucy M. Coulter, nurse, to naval hospital, San Diego, from San Antonio; Rachel K. Mytinger, nurse, from New York; Fannie B. Nicol, nurse, from Alexandria, Va., and Annie B. McPhail, nurse, from Detroit, to U.S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn.

Honorable discharge—Helen A. McGrath, nurse.

Resignations—Rosemary Lawrence and Georgia Ferguson, Reserve Nurses.

OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS

THE officers of the 208th Brigade Reserve Corps Anti-Aircraft Artillery, Col. Charles Elliot Warren commanding, went to Fort Totten, N.Y., on the afternoon of April 26 and witnessed a splendid demonstration of firing by anti-aircraft guns, and received some very valuable instruction.

The program of the afternoon began with an address of welcome by Col. G. G. Heiner, U.S.A., commanding the 2d Coast Artillery District, in which Fort Totten is situated. Col. J. B. Mitchell and Lt. Perry Smith were with Col. Heiner. Col. C. H. Hilton, U.S.A., commanding the 62d Coast Artillery, outlined the events of the afternoon and Capt. W. N. Cravens of the 62d Artillery talked on the future development of anti-aircraft matériel. After the demonstration there was an inspection of the model barracks, an exhibition of calisthenics by the 62d Artillery, and a review. After a buffet supper there was a very fine searchlight exhibition and an informal dance at the Officers' Club.

THE FINAL ANALYSIS



No. 29

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STATUS OF ARMY PROMOTIONS.

The following are changes in promotions and vacancies on Promotion List (Cumulative) up to April 30, 1924:

Last Lt. Col. Promoted Col.

Jack Hayes, Q.M.C. No. 20 on page 146 (Nov. Army List and Directory).
Vacancies—None.
Sr. Lt. Col.—William H. Waldron, Inf.

Last Maj. Promoted Lt. Col.

George L. Wertenbaker, C.A.C., No. 601 on page 148.
Vacancies—None.
Sr. Maj.—Walter C. Baker, C.W.S.

Last Capt. Promoted Maj.

Harold E. Small, C.A.C., No. 2333 on page 154.
Last nomination to grade of Maj.—Henry B. Saylor, Ord. Dept.
Vacancies—None.
Sr. Capt.—Joseph M. Swing, F.A.

Last 1st Lt. Promoted Capt.

Gottfried W. Spoerry, Inf., No. 6333 on page 168.
Last nomination to grade of Capt.—William W. Wise, C.W.S., No. 6337.
Vacancies—None.
Sr. 1st Lt.—Rodney C. Jones, C.A.C., No. 6340.

Last 2d Lt. Promoted 1st Lt.

John P. Lavagnino, Inf., No. 8490 on page 176.
Last nomination to grade of 1st Lt.—Richard R. Coursey, Inf.
Vacancies—None.
Sr. 2d Lt.—Dwight L. Adams, Inf.
Vacancies in grade of 2d Lts.—482.

ARMY CONFIRMATIONS

Nominations Confirmed by Senate April 26

All the Army nominations of April 21, Capt. H. E. Small to Lt. B. C. Snow, printed on page 846, this paper April 26, were confirmed April 26.

ARMY NOMINATIONS

Nominations Received by Senate April 25

PROMOTIONS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Veterinary Corps—To be capt.: 1st Lt. P. H. Hudgins from April 6, 1924.
Infantry—To be capt.: 1st Lt. H. D. Ayres from April 16; to be 1st lts.: 2d Lts. D. P. Buckland, Cav., April 16, P. McI. Whitney, Inf., and J. M. Works, F.A., April 18.

APPOINTMENTS, BY TRANSFER, IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

Ordnance Dept.—Capt. R. Wiprecht, Cav. (detailed Ord. Dept.), rank July 1, 1920.
Signal Corps—1st Lt. D. Hodges, C.A.C. (detailed Sig. Corps), rank Oct. 9, 1919.
Coast Artillery Corps—2d Lt. E. B. Thompson, A.S., rank June 12, 1923; 2d Lt. F. N. Parsons, A.S., rank July 3, 1923.

G.C.M.O. 16, MARCH 26, 1924, W.D.

This order publishes the proceedings of the G.C.M. in the case of Capt. Cecil O. Temple, Q.M. Corps, U.S.A., who was charged and found guilty of violating the 93d, 94th and 95th Articles of War. The charges involved financial irregularities. Capt. Temple was sentenced "To be dismissed from the Service of the United States, to forfeit all pay and allowances due or to become due, and to be confined at hard labor, at such place as the reviewing authority may direct, for two years." The sentence was adjudged on Nov. 15, 1923. President Coolidge in confirming the sentence mitigated that part of the sentence relating to confinement to one year. Capt. C. O. Temple, Q.M.C., ceased to be an officer of the Army from March 27, 1924, and will be confined in the Atlantic Branch, U.S. Disciplinary Barracks, Fort Jay, N.Y.

CIR. 28, APRIL 23, 1924, W.D.

This circular relates to the following subjects: Trigger pull of service rifle; changes to training regulations; physical examination of members of the R.O.T.C. at training camps.

GENERAL STAFF CORPS.

GEN. J. J. PERSHING, G. OF A., C. OF S.

Col. T. F. Dwyer, G.S., to duty Oct. 8 as chief of staff, Panama Canal Div. (April 23, W.D.).
Lt. Col. C. M. Seaman, G.S., to duty as chief of staff, 3d Div., Camp Lewis, Wash., upon completion of foreign service. (April 23, W.D.).
Col. J. D. Leitch, G.S. (Inf.), from duty with G.S. with troops Sept. 30; to duty with Organized Reserves non-divisional group, Los Angeles, Calif. (April 24, W.D.).
Col. W. M. Cruikshank, G.S. (F.A.), is assigned to duty as commandant Atlantic Branch U.S. Disciplinary Barracks, Fort Jay, N.Y. (April 26, W.D.).

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. R. C. DAVIS, THE A.G.

Capt. W. A. Woodlief, A.G., to New York city and sail about Sept. 3 for the Panama Canal Zone for duty. (April 24, W.D.).
Maj. W. V. Carter, A.G., to duty June 30 in A.G.D. at headquarters 9th Corps Area. (April 26, W.D.).

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.

MAJ. GEN. W. A. BETHEL, J.A.G.

Maj. LeR. Reeves, J.A., to Washington, to J.A.G. for duty in his office. (April 25, W.D.).
Lt. Col. G. L. McKeely, J.A., to duty June

ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

Commander-in-Chief—Calvin Coolidge, President.

Secretary of War—John W. Weeks.

Assistant Secretary of War—Col. Dwight P. Davis.

General of the Armies—Gen. John J. Pershing, Chief of Staff.

Deputy Chief of Staff—Maj. Gen. John L. Hines.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. W. H. HART, Q.M.G.

Lt. Col. W. H. Noble, Q.M.C., is detailed as an additional member of the G.S.C., and to duty with War Department G.S. July 2, to Washington. (April 23, W.D.).
Maj. R. McG. Littlejohn and Capt. H. L. Waggoner, Q.M.C., to duty with O.R., 6th C.A., with non-divisional group in Chicago. (April 23, W.D.).

1st Lt. F. V. Fitzgerald, Q.M.C., to the commanding general, 9th Corps Area, for duty in Alaska. (April 26, W.D.).
Maj. L. A. Beard, Q.M.C., to Mitchell Field, N.Y., for duty, relieving 1st Lt. J. C. Christophel, Q.M.C., for duty. (April 26, W.D.).

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. M. W. IRELAND, S.G.

MEDICAL CORPS.

Capt. J. R. Hall, M.C., to duty June 1 as Asst. P.M.S.T., Washington University, St. Louis. (April 24, W.D.).
Capt. O. J. Posey, M.C., to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., for duty. (April 24, W.D.).
Capt. B. W. Lewis, M.C., to Kelly Field, Texas, for duty. (April 24, W.D.).

Maj. R. W. Kerr, M.C., to Washington, to Walter Reed General Hospital for duty July 1. (April 24, W.D.).
Maj. P. B. Connolly, M.C., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., New York University, New York city. (April 24, W.D.).
Maj. S. R. Norris, M.C., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for China for duty at Tientsin. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. D. W. Sullivan, M.C., to New York city and sail about July 12 for San Francisco, thence about Aug. 1 to Manila for duty. (April 25, W.D.).
Maj. E. M. Welles, jr., M.C., is assigned to duty July 1 in the office of the attending surgeon, New York city. (April 26, W.D.).
Maj. T. E. Harwood, jr., M.C., to duty with O.R., 4th Corps Area, with 306th Medical Regiment, 81st Div., O.R., and to Knoxville, Ky., for duty. (April 26, W.D.).

Maj. L. A. Kefauver, M.C., to U.S. Soldiers' Home, Washington, July 1, for duty. (April 26, W.D.).

DENTAL CORPS.

Maj. A. P. Matthews, D.C., to Walter Reed General Hospital for duty. (April 25, W.D.).
Maj. L. B. Wright, D.C., to Washington July 1 for duty. (April 26, W.D.).
Maj. H. M. Deiber, D.C., assigned to duty July 1 at Fort Jay, N.Y. (April 26, W.D.).

VETERINARY CORPS.

1st Lt. E. M. Curley, V.C., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Cornell University, June 15. (April 24, W.D.).
Capt. R. M. Buffington, V.C., to Fort Sam Houston July 1 for duty. (April 24, W.D.).
1st Lt. H. N. Beeman, V.C., to Fort Riley for duty. (April 25, W.D.).

1st Lt. F. H. K. Reynolds, V.C., to Washington, to Army Veterinary School, Sept. 1, for instruction. (April 25, W.D.).
Capt. C. C. Whitney, V.C., to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, about Aug. 22, for duty. (April 25, W.D.).

1st Lt. P. T. Carpenter, V.C., to Cavalry School, Fort Riley, for troop officers' course in September. (April 25, W.D.).

CORPS OF ENGINEERS.

MAJ. GEN. L. H. BEACH, C. OF E.

Maj. R. P. Coiner, C.E., to Portland, Ore., May 31, for duty. (April 22, W.D.).
2d Lt. W. W. Bessell, jr., 2d Engrs., from assignment to that regiment and to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Rose Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, Ind. (April 23, W.D.).

Maj. J. C. Mehaffey, C.E., to Baltimore, Md., July 6, for duty. (April 24, W.D.).
1st Lt. F. H. Kohloss, C.E., to duty as instructor North Carolina N.G., Charlotte. (April 25, W.D.).

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

MAJ. GEN. C. C. WILLIAMS, C.O.

Capt. S. P. Meek, O.D., to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (April 24, W.D.).
Maj. L. B. Moody, O.D., to duty as an additional member of the G.S.C., and to duty with the War Department G.S. July 2. (April 24, W.D.).

1st Lt. D. G. McGregor, O.D., to duty with O.R., 1st Corps Area, with 501st Ordnance Co., Heavy Maintenance. (April 25, W.D.).
One month to 1st Lt. F. F. Reed, O.D., about May 27, to leave U.S. (April 26, W.D.).

2d Lt. F. G. R. Ensminger, O.D., to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (April 26, W.D.).
Col. H. W. Schull, O.D., to Springfield Armory, Mass., June 15, and assume command. (April 26, W.D.).

1st Lt. D. H. Whittier, O.D., to Watertown Arsenal, Mass., as chief. (April 26, W.D.).
Capt. H. W. Churchill, O.D., to duty with O.R. of 2d Corps Area, with the 4th Army

Ordnance Service (less 622d Co.), with station in New York city, in addition to his other duties. (April 26, W.D.).
Capt. R. E. Hardy, O.D., to duty with O.R., 2d Corps Area, with the 644th Co. (Ammunition), Gen. Hdqrs.: 502d Ord. Co. (Heavy Maintenance), 12th Corps, and 622d Ord. Co. (Ammunition), 4th Army, Troy, N.Y., in addition to his other duties. (April 26, W.D.).

Maj. J. E. Beller, O.D., having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired from active service. (April 26, W.D.).

SIGNAL CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. C. MCK. SALTZMAN, C.S.O.

Capt. W. I. Rasor, S.C., about June 15, to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Minnesota, Minneapolis. (April 23, W.D.).
Maj. J. B. Haskell, S.C., Sept. 16, to Washington, D.C., to the Chief Signal Officer for temporary duty for a month, and then to duty as member of Coast Artillery Board, Fort Monroe. (April 25, W.D.).

Maj. S. M. Walmsley, S.C., from Paris July 1, and is assigned to 1st Cavalry Div., Fort Bliss, for duty. (April 26, W.D.).

CAVALRY.

MAJ. GEN. W. A. HOLBROOK, C. OF C.

Lt. Col. P. J. Hennessey, Cav., detailed a member of the Cavalry Board, Fort Riley. (April 23, W.D.).
Lt. Col. J. T. Sayles, 5th Cav., to duty as an instructor, New York N.G., and to New York city for station. (April 23, W.D.).

Lt. Col. W. M. Cooley, 12th Cav., to duty as P.M.S.T., Creighton High School, St. Paul, Minn. (April 22, W.D.).
Capt. N. M. Imboden, Cav., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Kansas City High Schools. (April 22, W.D.).

Lt. Col. C. A. Bach, Cav., to Army War College July 1 for duty. (April 24, W.D.).
Col. F. J. Koester, Cav., to commanding general 9th Corps Area, San Francisco, Calif., May 15, for duty in connection with recruiting at his headquarters, relieving Maj. A. R. Emery, Inf., who will assume duty as acting assistant to the corps area recruiting officer. (April 25, W.D.).

Maj. C. Hartwell to Presidio of Monterey for temporary duty with 11th Cavalry thereat, and will proceed to Fort Riley not later than Sept. 9, to Cavalry School as a student. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. T. M. Roemer, Cav., D.O.L., appointed parole officer for the Atlantic Branch U.S. Disciplinary Bks., Governors Island, N.Y. (April 26, W.D.).

Sergt. P. Burkhimer, 3d Cav., to duty with the Pennsylvania N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Cavalry, to Philadelphia. (April 26, W.D.).

FIELD ARTILLERY.

MAJ. GEN. W. J. SNOW, C. OF F.A.

Majors of Field Artillery detailed as members of the G.S.C. Aug. 1, and to G.S. with troops: G. H. Paine, L. J. Ahern. They will sail from San Francisco about Aug. 1 for Manila for duty. (April 23, W.D.).

Maj. R. G. Kirkwood, 11th F.A., from assignment to that regiment July 1, and is detailed a member of G.S.C., assigned to the G.S. with troops, Hawaiian Dept. (April 23, W.D.).

Capt. O. I. Gates, F.A., to duty as Asst. P.M. S.T., Yale University, New Haven. (April 22, W.D.).

1st Lt. L. McC. Jones, F.A., assigned to the 1st Div., 3d Corps Area, Aug. 25, for duty. (April 24, W.D.).

1st Lt. C. R. Gildart, 9th F.A., from assignment to that regiment June 1, and to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Chicago, Ill. (April 24, W.D.).

1st Lt. W. P. Blair, 18th F.A., from assignment to that regiment June 1, and to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Chicago, Ill. (April 24, W.D.).

Sergt. G. Gordon, 76th F.A., to duty with California N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Field Artillery, and to Oakland. (April 24, W.D.).

1st Lt. C. G. Holmes, 24th F.A., to duty as a student first-year course 1924-1925 at Fort Sill. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. J. S. Winslow, F.A., assigned to 2d F.A., to Fort Bragg, N.C., for duty. (April 26, W.D.).

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

MAJ. GEN. F. W. COE, C. OF C.A.

Lt. Col. H. B. Grant, C.A.C., is detailed as a member of G.S.C. Aug. 6, and assigned to G.S. with troops. He will sail from New York city about Aug. 6 for the Panama Canal Zone for duty. (April 23, W.D.).

Capt. D. M. Griggs, C.A.C., assigned to Coast Defenses of Portland, Fort Preble, for duty. (April 23, W.D.).

Maj. M. P. Andruss, C.A.C., to Buffalo, N.Y., July 1, for recruiting duty. (April 23, W.D.).
Maj. G. L. Wertenbaker, C.A.C., to Fort Monroe, Coast Artillery School, for duty. (April 24, W.D.).

Sergt. J. H. Ellis, 61st Art. Batin. (A.A.), to duty with Pennsylvania N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Coast Artillery, to Easton, Pa., for station. (April 24, W.D.).

2d Lt. G. B. Anderson, C.A.C., to Fort Preble, Me., for duty. (April 24, W.D.).

Col. T. Q. Ashburn, C.A.C., assigned to 52d Coast Art., Fort Eustis, Va. (April 26, W.D.).
Maj. R. V. Cramer, C.A.C., to Fort Monroe May 1 for duty. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. C. R. Finley, C.A.C., to duty as instructor Pennsylvania N.G., Allentown. (April 26, W.D.).

INFANTRY.

MAJ. GEN. C. S. FARNSWORTH, C. OF I.

Maj. F. F. Black, Inf., assigned to 13th Inf., Fort Warren, Mass., for duty. (April 23, W.D.).

Officers of Infantry to proceed to Fort Benning and report Oct. 1 to Infantry School for duty as a student company officers' class: Capt. W. V. Rattan and K. L. Berry. (April 23, W.D.).

Capt. H. B. Battenberg, 38th Inf., from assignment to that regiment and to duty as an instructor, Nebraska N.G., Scottsbluff. (April 23, W.D.).

So much of S.O. No. 81, W.D., April 5, relieving Capt. C. C. Bodeker, 28th Inf., from assignment to that regiment and detailing him as P.M.S.T., Cleveland Public High School, Ohio, is revoked. (April 23, W.D.).

Capt. E. P. Strout, Inf. (Tanks), to duty as an instructor Oklahoma N.G., Durant. (April 22, W.D.).

Resignation of 1st Lt. E. W. Ortell, Inf., for the good of the Service, is accepted. (April 23, W.D.).

Maj. C. L. Byrne, Inf., to West Point, N.Y., and report Aug. 25 for duty. (April 24, W.D.).
1st Lt. W. J. Hardy, Inf., to Hot Springs, Ark., for treatment. (April 24, W.D.).

Capt. B. A. Yancey, Inf., to Fort Benning Oct. 1, to Infantry School as student. (April 24, W.D.).

Capt. G. R. F. Cornish, Inf., to Fort Moultrie, S.C., Sept. 1, for temporary duty with 8th Infantry, then to Fort Benning and report Oct. 1 to Infantry School as student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. L. R. Hathaway, Inf., to Camp McClellan, Ala., July 1, for temporary duty with 22d Infantry, then to Fort Benning, Ga., and report on Oct. 1 to Infantry School as student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. J. W. Nicholson, Inf., to Camp McClellan, Ala., Aug. 1, for temporary duty with 22d Infantry, then to Fort Benning and report Oct. 1 to Infantry School as student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. W. M. E. Sullivan, Inf., to Camp McClellan, Ala., for temporary duty with 22d Infantry, then to Fort Benning and report Oct. 1 to Infantry School as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Maj. J. P. Edgerly, Inf., to Plattsburg Barracks, N.Y., for temporary duty with 26th Infantry. He will later proceed to Fort Benning and report on Sept. 15 to Infantry School for duty as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. H. E. Dager, Inf., to duty as student Infantry School, Fort Benning, on Oct. 1. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. G. J. Braun, Inf., on Oct. 1 report to commandant Infantry School as student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. T. J. Stedje, Inf., to Fort Benning Oct. 1, to Infantry School as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. J. W. Howder, Inf., to Fort Benning, Ga., Oct. 1, to Infantry School as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Maj. J. T. Rhett, Inf., to Fort Benning Sept. 15, to Infantry School as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. M. W. Clark, Inf., to Fort Benning and report on Oct. 1 to Infantry School as student. (April 25, W.D.).

Maj. M. Pearson, Inf., is attached temporarily to 8th Infantry June 12, and to Camp McClellan, Ala., for temporary duty with that regiment until Aug. 27. Maj. Pearson will proceed to Fort Benning on Sept. 15 for duty as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. W. P. O'Brien, 23d Inf., from assignment to that regiment, and to duty as an instructor Arkansas N.G., Little Rock. (April 25, W.D.).

Capt. G. L. Febiger, 12th Inf., to Fort Howard, Md., to 12th Infantry for temporary duty, then to Fort Benning and report on Oct. 1 to Infantry School as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Maj. H. M. Pool, Inf., to Fort Benning and report Sept. 15 to Infantry School as a student. (April 25, W.D.).

Officers assigned to 15th Tank Battalion, Fort Benning, Ga., for duty: 1st Lts. E. M. Connor, L. C. Jaynes, Inf. (April 26, W.D.).

2d Lt. E. C. Applegate, 65th Inf., to commanding general District of Washington for duty, and then return to proper station, San Juan, Porto Rico, from New York city about June 12. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. S. S. Eberle, 21st Inf., is assigned to 24th Infantry, Fort Benning, and will join regiment. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. S. L. Bertschey, Inf., and W. A. Burress, Inf., to Fort Eustis, Va., July 1, to 84th Infantry for temporary duty, and then to Fort Benning on Oct. 1, to Infantry School as students. (April 26, W.D.).

1st Lt. P. W. Seymour, Inf., having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired from active service. (April 26, W.D.).

Staff Sergt. W. H. Bell, 24th Inf., retired at Fort Benning, Ga. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. F. C. Winters, Inf., to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. J. L. Murphy, 28th Inf., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. (April 26, W.D.).

Capt. E. E. Schwien, 26th Inf., from assignment to that regiment, and to duty as

ARMY CORPS AREAS AND DEPARTMENTS

1ST ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Boston, Mass.

MAJ. GEN. A. W. BREWSTER, COMDR.
 Maj. E. V. Cutrer, Inf. (D.O.L.), assigned to duty as Acting Chief of Staff, 76th Div., upon departure of Col. G. H. Cameron, Cav. (D.O.L.), C. of S., 76th Div., on leave. (April 22, 1st C.A.)
 Lt. Col. F. C. Doyle, F.A. (D.O.L.), assigned to duty as Acting Chief of Staff, 94th Div., O.R., upon departure of Col. F. C. Bolles, Inf. (D.O.L.), C. of S., 94th Div. (April 22, 1st C.A.)

Summer Camps

G.O. 6, APRIL 22, 1924, 1ST C.A.

The 18th Infantry Brigade (Reinforced) and attached troops will proceed to Camp Devens, Mass., from their permanent stations for summer training as follows:

Brigade Hqs. and Hqs. Co. to start from Boston, Mass., on May 1 by motor truck transportation.

13th Infantry to start from Boston Harbor as follows: 1st Battalion by marching, about May 1; Hqs. and Staff Section of Hqs. Co. and the Staff and Supply Sections of the Service Co. to start from Boston Harbor on May 1 by motor truck transportation; 1st Battalion Hqs., Hqs. Co., less detachment, and Service Co., less detachment, and 2d Battalion, less Co. F, to start on May 5 by marching.

8th Infantry to start from Portland Harbor by motor transportation as follows: Two officers and approximately 100 enlisted men to start about May 10; Hqs., 1st, 2d and 3d Battalions, less detachment, to start about July 1; 1st Platoon, 9th Tank Co., to start from the Army Base, Boston, about May 12 by motor truck transportation.

2D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Governors Island, N.Y.

MAJ. GEN. R. L. BULLARD, COMDR.

Col. Peter Murray, Chief of Staff

Capt. C. S. Moyer, C.W.S., in addition to other duties, is detailed as acting aide-de-camp to Maj. Gen. R. L. Bullard, U.S.A. (April 24, 2d C.A.)

Capt. L. B. Peck, M.C., to Fort Totten, N.Y., about April 30, to 62d Anti-Aircraft Artillery Regiment for duty as camp and regimental surgeon. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

Leaves

Sick leave for 3 months, about May 20, to Capt. R. Hillsman, Inf. (April 21, 7th C.A.)

One month, about May 1, is granted Army Fld. Clk. M. F. Halpin. (April 21, 2d C.A.)

Two months and 20 days to Maj. J. H. Van Horn, F.A., D.O.L., about June 1. (April 22, 2d C.A.)

Two months and 20 days, about June 5, to Capt. L. F. Daniels, 26th Inf. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

Two months, about May 1, to Army Fld. Clk. C. S. Worick. (April 21, 2d C.A.)

Reserve Officers to Active Duty

To active duty, June 8, for 15 days' training at Camp Dix, N.J.—Capt. C. A. Hill, New York city; 1st Lt. D. E. Brown, Kingston, N.Y.; Capt. R. T. Kiddle, N.Y. city; 1st Lt. J. W. Farmer, Brooklyn, N.Y.; H. Disston, Freeport, N.Y.; 2d Lt. L. F. Barry, N.Y. city; R. F. Morris, N.Y. city; J. J. Christie, Tonkers, N.Y.; M. J. Davidson, Brooklyn, N.Y.; F. A. Hubbard, N.Y. city; S. J. Navin and A. T. Kaplan, N.Y. city; 1st Lt. F. R. Shea, Jersey City, N.J.; 2d Lt. W. Solinski, Schenectady, N.Y. (April 24, 2d C.A.)

To active duty, June 8, for 15 days' training at Madison Barracks, N.Y.—Maj. J. H. Genung, jr., Red Bank, N.J.; Capt. W. A. Schell, Rochester, N.Y.; M. H. Mial, Elizabeth, N.J.; E. Burns, Newark, N.J.; 1st Lt. P. F. Robb, New Brunswick, N.J.; 2d Lt. D. B. Mellie, Belleville, N.J.; J. H. Edgar, New Brunswick, N.J.; C. F. Hawkins, Schenectady, N.Y.; J. M. Walsh, Roselle, N.J. (April 22, 2d C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

To 77th Div.—304th F.A., 2d Lt. C. W. Webster, Brooklyn, N.Y.; 305th F.A., 2d Lt. J. J. Kells-Murphy, Floral Park, N.Y.

To 1st Army Art.—533d C.A., Capt. S. T. Pike, N.Y. city.

To 98th Div.—392d Inf., 2d Lt. L. E. Erlenbach, Buffalo, N.Y.

Capt. M. V. de Vise, Inf., Rochester, N.Y., to 391st Inf., 98th Div.

Capt. J. D. Brooks, Inf., South Albany, N.Y., to Hqs. 195th Inf. Brig.

To 390th Inf., 98th Div.—2d Lt. P. V. Boynton, G. L. Gridley and D. M. Sherman, all Syracuse, N.Y. (April 19, 2d C.A.)

Lt. Col. M. E. Leary, Med., Rochester, N.Y., May 4 to 15 days' training. (April 19, 2d C.A.)

2d Lt. F. C. Reich, F.A., to 305th F.A., 77th Div.

To 4th Corps Artillery—441st F.A., 2d Lt. G. S. Kaighn, jr., Glen Ridge, N.J.; 2d Lt. W. T. Meek, Newark, N.J.

To 12th Corps Artillery—309th Field Artillery, 2d Lt. W. H. Fitzpatrick, Corona, N.Y.; 432d F.A., E. W. Bache, N.Y. city; S. Rivkin, N.Y. city.

To 12th Corps Special Troops—602d Ordnance Co. (Amm.), Capt. W. W. Comings, Perth Amboy, N.J.

To 98th Division—367th F.A., 2d Lt. L. F. Heidenreich, Albany, N.Y.; 391st Infantry, H. J. Roche, Batavia, N.Y.

To 61st Cavalry Division—152d Machine Gun Squadron, 2d Lt. L. J. Kitching, Brook-

lyn, N.Y.; 461st Battalion of Horse Artillery, 2d Lt. C. P. Williams, jr., Albany, N.Y.; W. Hochstadter, N.Y. city.

Maj. R. D. Eroe, Cav., assigned to 61st Cav. Div. Hqs., Gen. Staff, assistant to G-3. To 9th Obs. Group Hqs., Mitchel Field, L.I., N.Y.—Capt. R. B. Krogstad, N.Y. city; 1st Lt. S. M. Weissenborn, Jersey City, N.J.; 1st Lt. W. F. Sutter, Elizabeth, N.J.

To 390th Inf., 98th Div.—2d Lt. B. D. Miller, Utica, N.Y.; R. A. Short, Binghamton, N.Y.

2d Lt. E. G. Zugehor, Inf., to 391st Inf., 98th Division.

Lt. Col. W. A. Smethurst, Eng., N.Y. city, to 373d Engr. Regt. (G.S.), Z. of C. G.H.Q. Reserves, Corps, Army and G.H.Q. Group.

Capt. J. V. McCabe, F.A., Jamaica, N.Y., to 391st F.A., 12th Corps Art., Corps, Army and G.H.Q. Group. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

1st Lt. G. N. Dulin, Eng., Scotia, N.Y., is reassigned to 416th Engineer Battalion (Aux.), 12th Corps, Corps, Army and G.H.Q. Group.

1st Lt. C. F. Brundage, Eng., Elmira, N.Y., is reassigned to 360th Engineers (G.S.), G. H.Q., Corps, Army, and G.H.Q. Group.

2d Lt. A. H. Sulger, Inf., Rochester, N.Y., is assigned to 196th Inf. Brigade Headquarters, 98th Division. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

Assigned to Hqs. 152d Cav. Brig., 61st Cav. Div.—Capt. P. T. Colbron, N.Y. city; Capt. R. W. Gilmore, N.Y. city.

Maj. G. E. Kennedy, Cav., N.Y. city, to 61st Cavalry Div. Hqs. General Staff, as assistant to G-1. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

Reserve Officers Attached

To 78th Div.—Hqs. 309th Inf., 1st Lt. O. P. Marcus, Vet., Atlantic City, N.J.

To G.H.Q. Rrt. Res.—Southern New York Regt., Maj. L. J. Nacey, Med., Rochester, N.Y.

Maj. F. Bigelow, F.A., Newark, N.J., to Hqs. 78th Div. (April 19, 2d C.A.)

2d Lt. H. R. Holliday, Cav., to Hqs. 61st Cav. Div.

To Headquarters 61st Cavalry Division.—2d Lt. R. S. MacCallum Brooklyn, N.Y.; Maj. C. B. Compton, N.Y. city; 1st Lt. H. D. Bassett, N.Y. city; 2d Lt. R. V. Lane, Jersey City, N.J.; T. N. Buttedahl, Brooklyn, N.Y.; G. W. Goodwyn, N.Y. city; Capt. W. C. Taylor, Paterson, N.J.; L. M. Savell, N.Y. city; 1st Lt. N. Floyd, jr., Garden City, N.Y.; Capt. F. W. Kendall, Buffalo, N.Y.; Maj. A. J. Myer, N.Y. city; 2d Lt. D. Kendall, Hamburg, N.Y.; 1st Lt. L. C. Doyle, N.Y. city; 2d Lt. A. J. Ethel, Leonia, N.J.; S. C. Mickler, N.Y. city; C. A. Lindsay, Newark, N.J.; A. T. McCann, Albany, N.Y., all Cav. O.R.C. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

To 16th Inf., Fort Jay, N.Y. (Regular Army)—2d Lt. J. C. Roe, Passaic, N.J.; 2d Lt. P. T. Roth, Schenectady, N.Y. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

To Hqs. 61st Cav. Div.—Capt. H. J. Mandel, Malba, L.I., N.Y.; Lt. Col. P. H. M. Converse, Rochester, N.Y. (April 25, 2d C.A.)

3D ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Baltimore, Md.

MAJ. GEN. C. H. MUIR, COMDR.

Col. F. S. Cocheu, Chief of Staff.

G.O. 9, APRIL 22, 1924, 3D C.A.

Col. H. E. Cloke, C.A.C., is detailed a member of the permanent Local Joint Planning Committee, vice Col. E. Carpenter, C.A. Co., relieved.

Leaves

Two months, about June 19, to Maj. C. A. French, C.A.C. (April 2, 3d C.A.)

Three months, June 1, to Capt. F. H. Bain, Inf. (D.O.L.), with permission to leave U.S. (April 16, 4th C.A.)

One month, about May 7, to Wnt. Ofr. J. H. Worfred. (April 16, 4th C.A.)

One month to Capt. J. C. Haw, C.A.C., is extended 1 month and 15 days. (April 16, 3d C.A.)

One month, about June 30, to Maj. C. M. S. Skene, C.A.C. (April 25, 3d C.A.)

One month, about June 19, to 1st Lt. A. L. Parmelee, 55th C.A. (April 22, 3d C.A.)

Reserve Officers Attached

317th Inf.—2d Lt. R. H. Woods, Giles County, Va.

320th Ing.—Capt. J. L. Hurley, Hagerstown, Md.

313th F.A.—2d Lt. C. Nagel, Hyattsville, Md.

Capt. J. W. McNair, Inf., U.S. Federal Forest Ser., Lynchburg, Va., to 317th Inf.

Capt. H. H. Howell, M.I., Washington, D.C., to 320th Inf.

To 30th Div.—317th Inf., Capt. L. S. Nottingham, Lynchburg, Va.; 320th Inf., Capt. S. L. Smith, Washington D.C.; 313th F.A., 1st Lt. W. M. Depp, Chap., Towson, Md. (April 24, 3d C.A.)

To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. W. R. Barratt, Cav., Franklin, Pa.

To Non-Div. Group—Lt. Col. L. Powell, Alexandria, Va.; T. S. Troy, Takoma Park, Md., both Med.; 1st Lt. S. H. Bowman, Philadelphia, Pa.; H. R. Wilson, Carnegie, Pa., both Dent.; 2d Lt. L. O. Hines, Norfolk, Va.; A. H. Smith, Philadelphia, Pa., both Engr. (April 25, 3d C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

To 80th Div.—Capt. R. C. Light, Inf. O.R. C., Irvington, Va.; 2d Lt. L. I. Baas, A.S. O.R.C., South Boston, Va.

To 99th Div.—2d Lt. P. D. Albert, jr., Inf. O.R.C., DuBois, Pa. (April 23, 3d C.A.)



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To 99th Div.—1st Lt. H. P. Luscomb, Inf. O.R.C., Turtle Creek, Pa.
To 79th Div.—1st Lt. W. L. Thorpe, Inf. O.R.C., Swarthmore, Pa.
To 99th Div.—Capt. O. D. Black, Inf. O.R.C., Canonsburg, Pa. (April 24, 3d C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

1st Lt. C. H. Schmidt, Dent., Washington, D.C., to 320th Inf.
Capt. R. C. Light, Inf., Evinston, Va., to 317th Inf.
2d Lt. L. I. Bass, A.S., South Boston, Va., to 80th Div., Air Ser. (April 24, 3d C.A.)
1st Lt. W. W. Hague, Inf., Pittsburgh, Pa., to 99th Div.
To 62d Cav. Div.—Capt. J. Grover, Engr., Baltimore, Md.
To 99th Div.—1st Lt. J. C. Bloom, Inf., Scottsdale, Pa.; 2d Lt. J. DeN. Watson, F.A., Wilkesburg, Pa.
To Non-Div. Group—1st Lt. L. C. Atwood, Engr., Bethlehem, Pa.; 2d Lt. A. J. Gaugel, Seranton, Pa.; C. E. Proudley, Washington, D.C.; S. V. Williams, Pittsburgh, Pa.; J. M. Zimmerman, East Pittsburgh, Pa., all F.A. (April 25, 3d C.A.)

Reserve Officers Attached

To 80th Military Police Co., 80th Div.—Capt. C. E. Hummel, Inf. O.R.C., Baltimore, Md.
To 314th Field Artillery, 80th Div.—1st Lt. A. L. Smith, Chap. O.R.C., Rosslyn, Va. (April 21, 80th Div.)

Reserve Officers Attached

To 80th Div.—Capt. J. W. McNair, Inf. O.R.C., Lynchburg, Va. (April 23, 3d C.A.)
To 80th Div.—Capt. H. H. Howell, M.I. O.R.C., Washington, D.C.
To 80th Div.—Capt. L. S. Nottingham, Inf. O.R.C., Lynchburg, Va.; S. L. Smith, Inf. O.R.C., Washington, D.C.; 1st Lt. W. M. Depp, Chap. O.R.C., Towson, Md.
To 99th Div.—Capt. R. N. Steimer, Inf. O.R.C., Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2d Lt. J. L. Kennedy, Inf. O.R.C., Meadville, Pa.; T. W. McCormack, Inf. O.R.C., Erie, Pa.; L. R. Weaver, Inf. O.R.C., Wilkesburg, Pa.
To 62d Cav. Div.—2d Lt. J. F. Gardiner, Cav. O.R.C., Philadelphia, Pa. (April 24, 3d C.A.)

4TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Atlanta, Ga.
MAJ. GEN. D. C. SHANKS, COMDR.
Col. G. H. McManus, Chief of Staff

Leaves

One month, about July 20, to Maj. A. A. Hofmann, Inf. (D.O.L.); 1 month, about June 1, to Capt. G. R. Armstrong, retired. (April 18, 4th C.A.)
One month, about May 5, to Army Fld. Clk. T. W. Greer; 2 months, about May 3, to 1st Lt. J. R. Tighe, Q.M.C. (D.O.L.). (April 23, 4th C.A.)

5TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio
BRIG. GEN. D. E. AULTMAN
in temporary command

MAJ. GEN. OMAR BUNDY
will command in August, 1924
Col. C. D. Rhodes, Chief of Staff
G.O. 18, APRIL 16, 1924, 5TH C.A.
Motor Repair Section No. 10, Q.M.C., is organized as an inactive unit of the Regular Army with Hqs. 5th Corps Area as the active associate unit.

G.O. 19, APRIL 18, 1924, 5TH C.A.

Co. L, 10th Inf., will proceed on or about April 24, 1924, by motor transportation, from Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio, to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., for temporary duty during its annual small arms target practice to be held at that station. Upon completion of its target practice and not later than June 7 the company will return, by motor transportation, to Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio.

Leaves

One month and 10 days, about May 15, to Fld. Clk. H. Gray, Q.M.C. (April 8, 5th C.A.)

6TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Chicago, Ill.
MAJ. GEN. H. C. HALE, COMDR.
Col. F. M. Caldwell, Chief of Staff

Reserve Officers Assigned

To Hqs. 6th Corps (Finance Section)—1st Lt. A. A. Mosley, Fin. O.R.C.
To Hqs. 6th Corps (General Staff Sec.)—Maj. R. W. Hill, Engr. O.R.C.; Capt. C. Sharrer, M.I.O.R.C.
To 322d Military Police Battalion—Maj. W. J. Platak, Capt. J. W. Butler, 1st Lt. H. H. Sommers and S. H. Scott, all M.P. O.R.C.
To 325th Military Police Battalion—2d Lt. L. F. Miller, M.P.O.R.C.
To Hqs. 86th Div. (Adjutant's Sec.)—2d Lt. M. F. Collier, A.G.D.O.R.C.
To 521st Engr. Train (Bridge)—Capt. W. B. Saunders, 1st Lt. E. Shaw and 2d Lt. G. A. Sutherland, all Eng. O.R.C.
To Hqs. Co., 2d Army—2d Lt. C. M. Stickell, Inf. O.R.C.
To 337th Serv. Sqdn.—2d Lt. R. M. Williams, A.S.O.R.C.
To Hqs. 65th Cav. Div. (Finance Sec.)—Capt. R. C. Wallace, Fin. O.R.C.
To Hqs. 65th Cav. Div. (Q.M. Sec.)—Maj. J. F. Krauser, Q.M.O.R.C.
To 317th Cav.—2d Lt. S. Fraser and L. J. Schuler, both Cav. O.R.C.
To 318th Cav.—Capt. R. F. Brown, A. Y.

Hardy, 2d Lts. H. P. Howland and E. S. Bullock, jr., all Cav. O.R.C.
To 320th Cav.—2d Lt. W. B. Hurt, Cav. O.R.C.

To 358th Eng. Regt. (General Service)—Capt. D. A. Morgan, Med. O.R.C.; DeW. H. Milstead, Dent. O.R.C.; 1st Lt. H. M. Parkey, Med. O.R.C.; H. W. Hartmen, Chap. O.R.C.

To 427th Eng. Batln. (Aux.)—Capt. C. L. Samson, 1st Lt. J. W. Wolfe, both Eng. O.R.C.
To 467th Attack Sqdn.—2d Lt. L. W. Riba, A.S.O.R.C.

To Hqs. 86th Div. (General Staff Sec.)—Maj. H. G. Wade, S.S.O.R.C.
To 86th Tank Co. (Light)—2d Lt. L. M. Holly, Inf. O.R.C.

To Hqs. 161st F.A. Brig.—Maj. LeR. E. Nelson, F.A.O.R.C.
To 331st F.A.—2d Lts. W. E. Asmus, A. W. Bissell, O. V. Earhart, H. DeW. Petty, F. E. Grove, L. K. MacClatchie, all F.A. O.R.C.

To 332d F.A.—Capt. L. E. Legner, 2d Lt. J. W. Cade, W. J. Kerr, H. E. McDonald, H. G. Osborne, C. Reynolds, R. M. Jones, all F.A.O.R.C. (April 9, 6th C.A.)

7TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Omaha, Nebr.
MAJ. GEN. G. B. DUNCAN, COMDR.
Col. H. A. Eaton, Chief of Staff

Leaves

Three months, about June 9, to Capt. W. H. Beers, Inf., Kansas City, Kas. (April 14, 7th C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

Capt. J. T. Helson, A.G., Minneapolis, Minn., to Adj. Sec. Hqs. 88th Div.
2d Lt. J. W. McCauley, Inf., Des Moines, Iowa, to Howitzer Co., 350th Inf.; E. C. Halbach, Inf., Iowa City, Iowa, Co. B, 350th Inf.; A. W. Anderson, F.A., Minneapolis, Minn., to Hqs. 1st Batln., 337th F.A.; R. R. Roach, Inf., Austin, Minn., to Hqs. 2d Batln., 351st Inf.
Capt. V. McC. Parkinson, Inf., St. Paul, Minn., to Co. A, 351st Inf.

1st Lts. E. W. South, Inf., Moorhead, Minn., to Communication Platoon, Hqs. 2d Batln., 352d Inf.; C. L. Osburn, Inf., Minneapolis, Minn., to Staff Sec. Ser. Co., 352d Inf.
2d Lt. A. R. Melander, Duluth, Minn., to Co. B, 313th Engr. Regt.

Capt. J. M. Dougherty, Inf., St. Paul, Minn., to Co. B, 352d Inf.

Reserve Officers Assigned

1st Lts. J. M. Gleason, Inf., St. Paul, Minn., to Hqs. 1st Batln., 352d Inf.; C. DeW. Alexander, Inf., Minneapolis, Minn., to Co. A, 352d Inf.
2d Lt. W. E. Carpenter, Inf., Iowa City, Iowa, to Hqs. Co., 349th Inf.; F. J. Fondrack, Inf., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to Co. F, 349th Inf.

Capt. W. M. Murphy, Inf., Sioux City, Iowa, to 175th Inf. Brig., 350th Inf.
1st Lt. J. M. Owen, Inf., Duluth, Minn., to Co. H, 352d Inf.
2d Lt. R. J. Barry, Inf., St. Paul, Minn., to Platoon Hqs., 351st Inf. (April 22, 7th C.A.)

Reserve Officers Attached

2d Lt. A. Nelson, Colfax, Iowa, to Q.M. Sec., 350th Inf.
Capt. A. B. Kapplin, Inf., Duluth, Minn., to Hqs. 2d Batln., 352d Inf.; R. Alexander, Inf., Minneapolis, Minn., to Hqs. 1st Batln., 352d Inf.
Maj. H. G. Higbee, Inf., Webster City, Iowa, to Regt. Hqs., 350th Inf.
Capt. L. H. Morse, Inf., Mankota, Minn., to Hqs. 1st Batln., 351st Inf. (April 23, 7th C.A.)

8TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex.
MAJ. GEN. E. M. LEWIS, COMDR.
Col. J. F. Preston, Chief of Staff

2d Lt. H. S. Ruth, D.O.L. (Inf.), fit for duty from sick, will proceed to proper station, College Station, Tex. (April 16, 8th C.A.)

1st Lt. A. W. Johnson, Cav., 1st Machine Gun Sqdn., to Fort Sam Houston for treatment. (April 17, 8th C.A.)

Leaves

Two months, on account of sickness, about April 16, to Capt. P. S. Beard, Inf.; 1 month 15 days, about June 15, to 2d Lt. A. J. Doray, M.A.C.; 2 months 20 days, under exceptional circumstances, to 1st Lt. M. F. Orr, 15th F.A.; 3 months, about June 2, to Maj. W. McCleave, D.O.L. (F.A.), Hqs. 103d Div., U.S.A.; 3 months, upon his arrival at San Francisco, Calif., to Capt. H. McN. Gregory, 10th Cav.; 3 months, about June 10, to Capt. J. M. Hagena, D.O.L. (Inf.). (April 16, 8th C.A.)

Two months, about June 1, to Maj. C. L. Caphton, D.O.L. (Inf.), Dallas, Tex.; 1 month 15 days, about July 1, to Maj. C. H. Corlett, D.O.L. (Inf.). (April 18, 8th C.A.)

Two months, about June 15, to Col. J. E. Cusack, 1st Cav. Div.; 3 months, about June 15, to Lt. Col. R. H. Westcott, 25th Inf. (April 19, 8th C.A.)

Three months, about May 1, to 1st Lt. R. E. Moore, Inf., aide-de-camp. (April 21, 8th C.A.)

9TH ARMY CORPS AREA

Headquarters, Presidio, San Francisco, Calif.
MAJ. GEN. C. G. MORTON, COMDR.
Col. L. R. Holbrook, Chief of Staff

SUMMER TRAINING CAMP BUL. NO. 1,
March 21, 1924, 9th C.A.

SUMMER TRAINING CAMPS, 1924.

The training camps to be held in the 9th Corps Area during the summer of 1924 are given below:

AT CAMP LEWIS, WASH.

Regular Army

June 13 to Sept. 1—4th Inf. (less 1st Bn.), 7th Inf. (less Cos. E, F and G), 1 troop, 11th Cav., Det. Air Service. Approximate total strength, 1,650.

National Guard

June 14 to 28—Battery A, 148th F.A., Oregon N.G.; Batteries C and D, 148th F.A., Idaho N.G.; Battery A, 196th F.A., Washington N.G.; 3d Bn., 186th Inf., Idaho N.G. July 7 to 21—145th F.A., Utah N.G. Aug. 2 to 16—143d F.A., California N.G. Total, 110 officers, 1,818 men.

Organized Reserves

July 6 to 20—383d Inf., 96th Div.
July 27 to Aug. 10—381st, 382d and 384th Inf. 361st and 362d F.A., 321st Engrs., 321st Med. Regt., 321st Obs. Sqdn., 96th Div.; Sanitary Bn., 329th Med. Regt., 104th Div.; 349th Med. Regt. and 309th Sig. Bn., Non-Div. Group. Total, 236 officers, 25 men.

Reserve Officers' Training Corps
June 13 to July 24—Infantry, Cavalry, Field Artillery, Engineers, Medical, Dental. Total, 725.

Citizens' Military Training Camp

June 19 to July 18—Basic Course and Red, White and Blue Courses in Inf., Cav., Field Art., Corps of Engrs. and Sig. Corps. Approximate total strength, 720.

AT CAMP MURRAY, WASH.

National Guard

June 14 to 28—State Staff Corps and Depts., 161st Inf., 41st Tank Co., Troop B, 58th M.G. Sqdn., 146th Field Art., Ambulance Co. No. 167, all Washington N.G. Total, 131 officers, 1,914 men.

AT DEL MONTE, MONTEREY, CALIF.

Regular Army

June 7 to Sept. 1—30th Inf., 1 squadron, 11th Cav., 2d Bn., 76th F.A., detachment Air Ser. Co. E, 6th Engrs., detachment Sig. Corps. Approximate total strength, 850 officers.

National Guard

June 10 to 24—State Staff Corps and Depts., 162d and 186th Inf. (less 3d Bn.), Co. A, 116th Engrs., Hosp. Co. No. 167, all Oregon N.G. Total, 114 officers, 2,087 men.

National Guard

Aug. 2 to 16—State Staff Corps and Depts., Hqs. and Hqs. Co., 79th Inf. Brig., 159th and 160th Inf., 40th Sig. Co., Ambulance Co. No. 143, all California N.G. Total, 126 officers, 2,316 men.

Organized Reserves

361st, 363d and 364th Inf., 346th and 347th F.A., 316th Engrs., 316th Obs. Sqdn., all 91st Div.; 349th Engrs., G.S., 444th Engr. Bn. (Aux.), 414th F.A. (155 How.), 439th F.A. (155 Gun), officers for attachment, all Non-Div. Group. Total, 303 officers, 24 men.

Citizens' Military Training Camp
June 26 to July 25—Basic Course and Red, White and Blue Courses in Inf., Cav., Field Art., Corps of Engrs. and Sig. Corps. Approximate total strength, 1,000.

AT FORT DOUGLAS, UTAH

Regular Army

June 5 to Sept. 1—One troop, 13th Cav.; 1 battery, 76th F.A.; detachments Air Service, Engineers and Signal Corps; approximate total strength, 340 officers.

Organized Reserves

July 14 to 28—413th Inf., 415th Inf., 1st Bn., 385th F.A., 1st Bn., 386th F.A., Hqs., Hqs. Co., Service Co. and 1st Bn., 329th Engrs., 104th Sig. Co., all 104th Div. Total, 152 officers, 15 men.

Citizens' Military Training Camp

June 12 to July 11—Basic Course and Red, White and Blue Courses in Inf., Cav., Field Art., Corps of Engrs. and Sig. Corps. Approximate total strength, 790.

AT FORT D. A. RUSSELL, WYO.

National Guard

June 14 to 28—State Staff Corps and Depts., 2d Sqdn., 116th Cav., Hospital Co. No. 143, all Utah N.G. Total, 25 officers, 291 men.

June 3 to 12—One squadron, Cav., 2 batteries, F.A., Combat Train, F.A., Hqs. Det., F.A., all Colorado N.G.

AT POLE MOUNTAIN RESERVATION, WYO.

National Guard

July 7 to 21—State Staff Corps and Depts., 115th Cav., both Wyoming N.G. Total, 39 officers, 476 men.

AT PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO

Organized Reserves

May 11 to 25—Approximately 30 officers,

Non-Div. Group. Aug. 13 to 27—362d Inf., 91st Div.; 40 officers, 6 men.
Reserve Officers' Training Corps
June 13 to July 24—Motor Transport Corps, 24 officers.

AT ROCKWELL FIELD, CALIF.

Organized Reserves

Aug. 3 to 17—372d Obs. Sqdn. and 478th Pursuit Sqdn., Non-Div. Group. Total, 47 officers, 12 men.

Reserve Officers' Training Corps

June 20 to July 31—Air Service, 21 officers.

AT FORT MACARTHUR, CALIF.

National Guard

July 5 to 19—250th Art., California N.G.; 40 officers, 752 men.

AT FORT BARRY, CALIF.

National Guard

June 14 to 28—249th Art., Oregon N.G.; 18 officers, 328 men.

AT FORT WORDEN, WASH.

National Guard

June 14 to 28—248th Art., Washington N.G.; 10 officers, 219 men.

Citizens' Military Training Camp

June 19 to July 18—Basic Course and Red, White and Blue Courses in Coast Artillery, 40 officers.

AT FORT WINFIELD SCOTT, CALIF.

Organized Reserves

July 13 to 27—Coast Art. units, C.D.s of San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco, of the Columbia and Puget Sound, 604th, 605th and 608th Art. Regt., C.A.C. Total, 50 officers, 5 men.

Citizens' Military Training Camp

June 26 to July 25—Basic Course and Red, White and Blue Courses in Coast Art., 50 officers.

AT HELENA, MONT.

Regular Army

June 10 to 28—1st Bn., 4th Inf. Approximate total strength, 190.

National Guard

June 14 to 28—State Staff Corps and Depts., 163d Inf., all Montana N.G. Total, 53 officers, 1,025 men.

AT PAYETTE LAKE, IDAHO

National Guard

June 14 to 28—State Staff Corps and Depts., 116th Cav. (less 2d Sqdn.), Idaho N.G. Total, 33 officers, 342 men.

AT PRESIDIO OF MONTEREY, CALIF.

(For active duty with 11th Cavalry)

Organized Reserves

July 11 to 25—323d Cav. and 162d M.G. Sqdn., Non-Div. Group. Total, 33 officers, 3 men.

AT FORT CASEY, WASH.

(Tentative)

Reserve Officers' Training Corps

June 20 to July 31—Ordnance and Coast Art. Corps. Total, 67.

TOTALS TO BE TRAINED

Officers. E.M. R.O.T.C. O.M.T.C. Total

	N.G.	O.R.	R.O.T.C.	O.M.T.C.	Total
...	699	11,518			12,217
...	941	90			1,031
...			837		837
...				2,600	2,600
Totals	1,640	11,608	837	2,600	16,085

G.O. 11, APRIL 8, 1924, 9TH C.A.

Brig. Gen. J. E. Kuhn, U.S.A., is designated as commander of the summer training camp to be held at Del Monte, Calif., 1924. The following staff is designated and announced: Executive officer, Lt. Col. H. D. Coburn, 30th Inf.; adjutant, Capt. J. T. Pierce, jr., 17th Cav. (attached to 11th Cav.); quartermaster, Lt. Col. T. M. Knox, Q.M.C.; assistant quartermaster, Maj. O. H. Sampson, Q.M.C.; assistant quartermaster, Maj. J. M. True, Q.M.C.; surgeon, Maj. A. S. Bowen, M.C.; signal officer, 1st Lt. R. J. Ryland, S.O.

Reserve Officers Assigned

1st Lt. F. M. Fulton, Q.M.R.C., San Francisco, to Co. A, 312th Motor Repair Bn., 4th Army; C. G. Austin, C.A.R.C., San Francisco, Calif., to Coast Defenses.

2d Lt. S. Koumrian, Q.M.R.C., Los Angeles, Calif., to Co. D, 344th Motor Repair Bn., 3d Army; L. C. Morse, Q.M.R.C., Bandon, Ore., to Co. A, 312th Motor Repair Bn., 6th Army; R. E. Griffin, F.A.R.C., Millbrae, Calif., to Battery B, 439th F.A., 188th Art. Brig., 19th Corps. (April 12, 9th C.A.)
To 104th Div., Org. Res.—Maj. A. L. Murray, 1st Lts. R. C. Pendleton, F. K. Root, C. W. Woodruff, J. C. Brown, F. B. Bailey, B. E. Bonar, M. C. Lindem, all Salt Lake City, Utah; Capt. F. G. Grace, Helena, Mont.; 1st Lt. A. E. Robison, Provo, Utah. (April 14, 9th C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

2d Lt. J. M. Connealy, F.A.R.C., to 104th Div.
To 96th Div., O.R.—1st Lt. H. E. Kettle, Portland, Ore.; 2d Lt. M. L. Welson, Portland, Ore., both Inf.
To 91st Div., O.R.—Maj. J. F. Cross, Sacramento, Calif.; 2d Lt. R. A. Harrelson, California, Calif.; E. O. Irving, Sacramento, Calif.; E. Peck, Madera, Calif. (April 16, 9th C.A.)
Capt. S. A. Yergy, E.R.C., Hardin, Mont., to 104th Div., O.R. (April 17, 9th C.A.)

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ORDERS FOR THE NAVY

Commander-in-Chief—Calvin Coolidge, President.
Secretary of the Navy—Curtis D. Wilbur.
Assistant Secretary of the Navy—Theodore Roosevelt.
Chief of Naval Operations—Admiral E. W. Eberle.

JUNIOR OFFICERS, NAVY.

April 30, 1924

The following junior officers have become eligible for promotion in various grades and ranks of the Navy:

Line.
R. Adm. F. H. Schofield R. Adm. M. D. McCormick
Capt. E. H. Watson Capt. H. C. Ourl
Cdr. E. W. Tod Cdr. R. A. Warner
Lt. Cdr. J. H. Strong Lt. Cdr. V. H. Carson

Medical Corps.
Rear Adm. T. S. Jewett
Capt. T. J. Arms
Cdr. E. D. Stanley
Lt. Cdr. J. D. P. Hodapp

Dental Corps.
Lt. Cdr. T. L. Sampson

Construction Corps.
R. Adm. R. Stocker
Capt. E. S. Land
Cdr. G. Fulton
Lt. Cdr. F. L. Crisp

Civil Engr. Corps.
R. Adm. F. R. Harris
Capt. G. A. MacKay
Cdr. G. A. Duncan
Lt. Cdr. H. F. Bruns

NAVY NOMINATIONS

Nominations Received by Senate April 25

PROMOTIONS IN THE NAVY.

Comdr. W. S. Pye to be a capt. from Oct. 5, 1923.
Lt. comdrs. to be comdrs.: L. E. Bratton from Dec. 3, 1923; E. A. Lofquist, Dec. 29, 1923.
Lt. E. J. O'Keefe to be a lt. comdr. from Jan. 1, 1924.
Lt. (j.g.) R. Anderson to be a lt. from June 8, 1923.
Ens. to be lts. (j.g.) from June 4, 1923: H. J. McNulty, J. A. Pennington; from June 5, 1923: R. B. Thompson, W. A. Gorry, C. H. Minckler, J. W. Harris, H. A. Brandenburger, John S. Harlow, jr., a citizen of Mass., to be an asst. surg., with rank of lt. (j.g.), from April 12, 1924.
Asst. Civil Engr. J. T. Mathews to be a civil engr. (lt.) from March 17, 1924.
Gunners to be chief gunners: F. W. Dunning, E. V. Wilder, July 2, 1923.
Carpenters to be chief carpenters: C. M. Joseph from Sept. 24, 1923; W. E. Fitzgerald, J. Sanders, Nov. 15, 1923; C. H. Langenstein, F. M. Rogers, R. R. Wells, Jan. 23, 1924.

NAVY GAZETTE

Orders to Officers April 22

Capt. D. C. Hanrahan to duty conn. Nav. Reserve Force, 3d Nav. Dist.
Capt. J. F. Hellweg to command Destroyer Squad, 14, Scouting Flt.
Capt. F. J. Horne to command U.S.S. Omaha.
Capt. B. A. Long to command Dest. Squad, 9, Scouting Flt.
Capt. F. L. Pinney to command U.S.S. Milwaukee.
Capt. C. M. Tozer to Comdt. Nav. Sta., Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.
Capt. W. K. Wortman to command U.S.S. Antares.
Comdr. W. Brown to duty as aid on staff Comdr. Dest. Squads., Battle Flt. and addl. duty as Squads. Gunnery Ofr.
Comdr. M. G. Cook to Naval Operations, Navy Dept.
Comdr. J. P. Jackson to continue duty in command Subm. Div. 11.
Comdrs. A. J. James, S. B. McKinney and Lt. W. F. Roseman to Asiatic Station.
Comdr. H. M. Jensen to command U.S.S. Lawrence.
Comdr. F. F. Rogers to duty on staff Nav. War College, Newport.
Comdr. S. C. Rowan to command Subm. Div. 16.
Comdr. D. A. Scott to Nav. Instr. Ordn. in Chg. Nav. Ammun. Depot, Kiahua, H.T.
Comdr. C. C. Soule to command U.S.S. Savannah.
Comdrs. R. R. Stewart and E. A. Wolleson to duty course instr. Nav. War College, Newport.
Comdr. T. Withers to duty on staff Nav. War College, Newport.
Lt. Comdrs. W. F. Amsden to Nav. Trng. Sta., Newport, R.I.; G. B. Ashe to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.; F. Welden to U.S. S. Richmond.
Lts. W. E. Andrews to Nav. Communications, Navy Dept.; J. B. Barrett to c.f.o. U.S.S. Marblehead; J. H. Buchanan to U.S.S. Tennessee; B. W. Cloud to navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa.; W. H. Farrell to Dest. Squads., Battle Flt.
Lts. L. M. Harvey and A. W. Peterson to duty under instr. Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn.
Lts. G. W. Johnson to home and relieved all active duty; E. J. Lysaught to c.f.o. U.S. S. Dobbin; J. M. Ober to navy yard, Charleston, S.C.; L. K. Orr to continue treat. Nav. Hospital, San Diego, Calif.; H. S. Sease to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.
Lts. A. T. Sprague and E. E. Stone to duty under instr. Harvard Univ., Boston.
Lts. R. J. Valentine to U.S.S. Arkansas; F. H. Whitney to Navy Mine Depot, New London, Conn.
Lt. (j.g.) C. E. Taylor to continue duty U.S.S. Oklahoma.
Ens. W. S. Ginn to temp. duty Naval Academy; T. H. Kehoe to U.S.S. Brooks; H. A. Rawlings to continue treat. Nav. Hosp., New York, N.Y.; J. L. Walker to U.S.S. Gold Star.
Comdrs. G. F. Freeman (M.C.) to Nav.

Hosp., Boston, Mass.; J. S. Woodward (M. C.) to U.S.S. Pittsburgh.
Lt. R. H. Hunt (M.C.) to Nav. Trng. Sta., San Diego, Calif.
Lts. J. M. Archibald (M.C.) J. D. Rives (M.C.), Lt. (j.g.) F. K. Soukup (M.C.) and Carp. W. G. Scott to Nav. Forces, Europe.
Lt. (j.g.) T. C. Miller (Ch.C.) to Rec. Ship, San Francisco, Calif.
Lts. D. H. Nicholson (C.E.C.) to Public Works Ofr., Parris Island, S.C.; E. C. Seibert (C.E.C.) to Public Works Ofr., 7th Nav. Dist.
Chf. Btsn. P. F. Powers to U.S.S. Camden; Btsn. E. J. Heil to command U.S.S. Grampus.
Chf. Mach. G. C. Lacock to c.f.o. U.S.S. Memphis.
Chf. Gunrs. R. E. Cox to U.S.S. Savannah; C. E. Weickhardt (retired) to home and relieved all active duty.
Carp. O. B. Smith to Rec. Bks., Hampton Roads, Va.
Pay Clks. J. S. Clark resignation accepted; W. J. Murphy to c.f.o. U.S.S. Dobbin; E. B. Parker to duty navy yard, New York, N.Y.; N. D. Whitehill to Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.
Dispatch from U.S.S. Utah April 18:
Lt. M. Case to U.S.S. Hannibal.
Lt. Comdr. S. L. H. Hazard to U.S.S. Wyoming.

Orders to Officers April 23

Capt. C. Wells to home and relieved all active duty.
Comdr. A. K. Shoup to U.S.S. Wyoming.
Lt. Comdr. C. C. Windsor to U.S.S. New Mexico.
Lts. G. T. Campbell to Nav. Trng. Station, San Diego; H. F. Council to Bureau Aeronautics, Navy Dept.; A. F. France to duty under instr., 3d Naval District, New York, N.Y.; M. T. Grubham to U.S.S. Wyoming.
Lts. J. H. Jacobson to duty under instruction, 3d Nav. Dist., New York, N.Y.; W. L. Marsh to duty course instr., Naval War College, Newport, R.I.; J. E. Ostrander to duty under instruction, 3d Naval District, New York, N.Y.; R. C. Starkey to Dist. Communication Supt., 4th Naval District.
Lts. C. A. Goebel, C. F. Hudson, C. L. Lewis, J. F. P. Miller, G. Paille, W. M. Shipley, Lts. (j.g.) G. M. Boyes, J. F. Cooper, H. B. Corwin, G. F. De Grave, F. H. Ottaway and C. A. Rumble to Asiatic Station.
Lt. (j.g.) I. G. Sooy and Ens. G. A. Stacey resignations accepted.
Ens. E. F. Beck to U.S.S. Gold Star.
Lt. R. H. Jenkins (M.C.) to continue duty U.S.S. Altair.
Lt. L. J. Roberts (M.C.) to continue duty U.S.S. New York.
Lt. H. M. Mason (S.C.) to temp. duty course instr., Supply Corps School of Application, Washington, D.C.
Lt. A. D. Alexis (C.E.C.) to Naval Operating Base, Hampton Roads, Va.
Lt. W. H. Smith (C.E.C.) to Public Works Ofr., Nav. Oper. Base, and addl. duty 15th Naval District.
Mach. W. S. A. Wiebusch and Carp. O. B. Smith resignations accepted.
Pay Clk. E. B. Parker to Aircraft Squads., Scouting Flt.

Orders to Officers April 24

Capt. S. W. Bryant to duty course instr., Nav. War College, Newport, R.I.
Lt. Comdr. C. P. Mason to duty as head of Aviation Dept., U.S.S. Langley.
Lts. A. Crinkley to U.S.S. Langley; O. B. Earle to command U.S.S. Napa; F. J. Hanafey to duty under instruction, 3d Nav. Dist., New York, N.Y.; R. D. Lyon to U.S.S. Langley; J. D. Price to U.S.S. Langley.
Lts. J. O. Richmond to duty under instruction, 3d Nav. Dist., New York, N.Y.; J. H. Smith to duty under instruction, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.; H. A. Stanley to Naval Station, Guam; S. H. Warner to U.S. S. Langley.
Medical Corps—Comdrs. P. T. Dessez to Nav. Hospital, Newport, R.I.; C. O. Grieve to Nav. Hosp., New York, N.Y.; J. J. Snyder to Med. Ofr. in Command, Nav. Hospital, Charleston, S.C., and addl. duty navy yard, Charleston, S.C.; Lts. Comdrs. E. W. Brown to navy yard, Philadelphia, Pa.; W. L. Mann to Bu. Medicine and Surgery, Navy Dept.
Lt. J. D. Wilson (C.E.C.) to Virgin Islands.
Gunrs. R. Cole det. 7th Nav. Dist.; to 7th Nav. Dist., such duty may be assigned; C. A. McKelvey to Naval Station, Guam; J. F. Richardson to navy yard, New York, N.Y.

Orders to Officers April 26

Comdr. C. M. Austin to duty course instruction Nav. War College, Newport.
Comdr. W. C. Barker to duty course instruction Nav. War College, Newport.
Lt. Comdr. H. C. Fraxer to Nav. Air Sta., Pearl Harbor, T.H.
Lt. Cdr. W. G. Greenman to Naval Academy.
Lts. C. Antrobus to conn. f.o. U.S.S. Dobbin; C. E. Braine to conn. f.o. U.S.S. 8-43 and in command when commissioned; C. F. Harper to Nav. Air Sta., Pearl Harbor, T.H.; J. Heil to U.S.S. Orion; G. P. Lamont to conn. f.o. U.S.S. V-1; J. P. Millon to Bu. Eng., Navy Dept.; A. P. Schneider to Nav. Air Sta., Pearl Harbor, T.H.; W. L. Wright to conn. f.o. U.S.S. Whitney.
Lt. (j.g.) C. H. Belcher resignation accepted.
Lts. (j.g.) V. R. Knope, J. B. Lyon, E. O.

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Chief Bsn. S. Ingham to navy yard, Puget Sound, Wash.

Chief Mach. H. A. Bryan to Nav. Sta., Guam. Dispatch received from C-in-C, Asiatic, on April 17:

Lts. H. K. Stubbs and S. G. Lamb to R.S., San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. (j.g.) M. J. Gillan to R.S., San Francisco, Calif.

Chief Bsn. J. H. MacDonald to R.S., San Francisco, Calif.

Lts. M. O. Carlson to U.S.S. Stewart; R. O. Davis to U.S.S. Rainbow; R. W. Christie to comdg. U.S.S. S-17; L. S. Kinnear to U.S.S. Pecos.

Lts. (j.g.) D. M. Page to U.S.S. Rainbow; W. A. Wiedman to U.S.S. Smith-Thompson; G. S. Young to U.S.S. Paul Jones.

Orders to Officers April 28

Rear Adm. J. V. Chase to duty as member of Gen. Board, Navy Department.

Comdr. P. P. Blackburn to c.f.o. U.S.S. Niagara and in command when comd.

Lt. Comdr. F. A. L. Vosler to Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

Lts. A. H. Bateman to c.f.o. U.S.S. S-44 and in command when comd.; J. L. Fisher to Ofc. in Chg. Branch Hydrographic Office, Cleveland, O.; L. W. Gumz to R.S., San Francisco, Calif.; H. J. Hansen to duty course instr. Naval War College, Newport; C. D. Leffler to temp. duty under instr. U.S.S. Chewink; H. E. MacLellan to U.S.S. S-25; J. T. Roach to Subm. Base, Hampton Roads, Va.; K. Rundquist to R.S., San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. (j.g.) M. E. Curtis continue duty Nav. Trng. Sta., N.O.B., Hampton Roads, Va.

Lts. (j.g.) C. V. Conlan, B. Connelly, T. G. Haff, W. M. Hainer, A. T. Lamore, A. L. Main, L. L. Pace, G. A. Patterson and B. Settle to temp. duty Rec. Bks., Hampton Roads, Va.

Lts. (j.g.) A. L. Mare and R. D. Tarbuck to United States (Comdr. Dest. Div. 39).

Ens. T. C. Brownell to temp. duty under instr. U.S.S. Chewink.

Ens. R. E. Mattson resignation accepted.

Ens. E. R. Duncan, R. D. Pratt and C. F. Schlichter to U.S.S. Arkansas.

Lt. J. D. Rives (M.C.) to continue duty navy yard, Norfolk, Va.

Lt. C. L. Austin (S.C.) to c.f.o. U.S.S. Whitney.

Dispatch from Comdr. of Scouting Fleet, April 25:

Lt. C. S. Rockey to U.S.S. Utah; Lt. J. F. Lankford (M.C.) to U.S.S. Denebola; Ens. P. S. Tambling to U.S.S. Florida; Ens. R. C. Strong to U.S.S. Utah; Pay Clk. A. J. Kirach to U.S.S. Bridgeport; Lt. G. J. Parker (M.C.) to U.S.S. Florida.

Lt. (j.g.) J. D. Haselden, Lt. A. A. Martillar (M.C.), Ens. T. J. Raftery, Ens. J. R. Nunn and Pay Clk. J. W. Troy to U.S.S. Hannibal.

MARINE CORPS

Maj. Gen. Commandant J. A. Lejeune.

April 30, 1924

Will make number to grade indicated on next vacancy.

Commissioned.

Col. M. Babb
Lt. Col. R. O. Underwood
Maj. W. B. Sullivan
Capt. B. W. Gally
1st Lt. W. W. Wensinger

Col. H. O. Reisinger
Lt. Col. J. F. Dyer
Maj. D. L. S. Brewster
Capt. D. J. Kendall
1st Lt. T. M. Ryan

MARINE CORPS ORDERS.

APRIL 24—1st Lts. C. Hicks and S. C. Kemon to M.B., Quantico, Va.

1st Lt. B. W. Gally promoted captain from Jan. 30, 1924.

Sergt. E. A. Thomas commissioned a second lieutenant for a probationary period of two years from Feb. 9, 1924.

APRIL 25—2d Lt. E. A. Thomas to duty Norfolk.

APRIL 26—Lt. Col. F. Halford to Port-au-Prince, Haiti, for duty.

Capt. J. D. McLean, A.Q.M., to M.B., Quantico, Va.

1st Lt. C. W. Pohl to M.B., navy yard, Puget Sound, Wash.

APRIL 28—1st Lt. R. D. Leach to Norfolk.

APRIL 30—Lt. Col. R. Y. Rhea to M.B., Quantico.

Capt. F. A. Hart to Quantico.

COAST GUARD

Secretary of Treasury, A. W. Mellon.
Assistant Secretary, Col. McKenzie Moss.
Rear Adm. F. C. Billard, Commandant.
Lt. S. S. Yeandle, Aid to Commandant.

COAST GUARD GAZETTE.

APRIL 24—Capt. (E) J. B. Coyle assigned New York Division.

Comdr. P. S. Van Boskerck assigned commander, Lakes Division.

Comdr. (E) H. Kotschmar assigned Northern Division, P.C.

Lt. Comdr. W. H. Munter assigned Philadelphia, Pa.

APRIL 19—Bnsns. F. T. Ford and P. Lehman assigned Philadelphia, Pa.

Btsn. (L) J. E. Jacobs assigned Jones Beach Station as officer in charge.

APRIL 21—Chief Comsy. S. P. M. Twyne assigned Philadelphia, Pa.

Chief Bsn.'s Mate N. F. White assigned Lone Hill Sta. as officer in charge.

Chief Comsy. S. H. H. Bennett assigned Academy.

COAST GUARD NOTES.

The President on April 21 signed the Winslow bill, for temporary increase in the personnel of the Coast Guard. Information relative to the temporary promotion of commissioned officers and warrant officers will be submitted to the Service in the very near future. The regulations covering these promotions are now in the hands of the printer.

The Secretary of the Treasury has requested the Secretary of the Navy to turn over the following destroyers for use in the Coast Guard: Ammen, Beale, Cassin, Downes, Jouett, Patterson and Paulding.

Proposals are to be opened at Headquarters on May 19 for 175 patrol boats, under specifications and plans issued by the Coast Guard.

RETIREMENTS OF N.C.O.

1ST SERGT. FELIX McDONALD, Co. G, 16th Inf., U.S.A., was placed on the retired list at Governors Island, N.Y., April 11, 1924, after more than thirty years' service. Sergt. McDonald first enlisted Aug. 10, 1898, and since that time he has served in the following organizations: 13th, 21st, 1st, 29th, 5th and 16th Inf., U.S.A. "It is with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret," says Col. Gerhardt in G.O. 5, "that the C.O. announces Sergt. McDonald's retirement, pleasure in that Sergt. McDonald, by long and faithful service, has earned the right to enjoy the pleasures and contentment incident to such retirement, and regret in that the regiment is losing an excellent soldier. The best wishes of all members of the regiment are extended to Sergt. McDonald on the occasion of his retirement." He was honored with a review of the regiment.

MASTER SERGT. WALTER G. CHAMPLIN, 38th Inf., U.S.A., was placed on the retired list at Fort Douglas, Utah, April 15, 1924, after completing over twenty-five years of active service. He has received eight honorable discharges, all showing character excellent. He first enlisted in the 1st Mississippi Volunteers April 27, 1898, and subsequently served in the 3d, 4th, 11th, 51st, 53d and 38th Infantry Regiments of the Regular Army. He was commissioned a temporary second lieutenant July 14, 1917, and was later promoted first lieutenant, and now holds the grade of major in the O.R.C. He served in nineteen battles and skirmishes in the Philippines. Col. Knudsen, in announcing his retirement, says: "The best wishes of all officers and enlisted men of this command follow Master Sergt. Champlin in his well earned retirement."

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS OF THE NAVY

WE omit the table of vessels of the Navy this week, but give below all the latest changes in the location of warships, since the complete table appeared in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of April 6:

BATTLE FLEET—California (flagship), New Mexico (flagship of Adm. Wiley); Tennessee, Maryland, Arizona (flag), Mississippi, Idaho, Pennsylvania (flag), Nevada—all San Pedro, Calif.

Omaha (flagship), Melville and Altair (tenders), Decatur (flag), Sinclair, McCawley, Henshaw, Meyer (F), Percival, John Francis Burns, Farragut (F), Somers, Zeilin, Stoddert, Farquhar, Thompson, Kennedy (F), Paul Hamilton, McDermut (flag), Yarrowborough, La Vallette, Sloat, Wood, Kidder (F), Selfridge, Marcus, Mervine, Chase, Macdonough, Farenholt, Sumner, Melvin—all San Diego, Calif.; Corry (F), Seattle, Wash.

Gannet, San Diego, Calif.

Beaver (flagship), S-35, S-40—all San Diego, Calif.

BASE FORCE—Brazos, Guantanamo to sea. Arctic, San Pedro; Jason, San Diego; Neches, Mare Island.

SCOUTING FLEET—Utah (flagship of Adm. McCully), Guantanamo to Hampton Roads; Florida, Guantanamo to New York.

Richmond, Guantanamo, Cuba; Milwaukee, Punta Arenas, Costa Rica.

Wright, Key West to Charleston, S.C.; Sandpiper, Fernandina, Fla.; Teal, Miami to Cape Lookout.

CONTROL FORCE—Shawmut (flag), Fernandina, Fla.; Maury, Mahan, Key West to sea; Lark, Key West, Fla.; Mallard, Miami, Fla.; Camden (flag), Guantanamo to New York;

S-10, S-11, S-12, S-13, Guantanamo to New York; S-51, Guantanamo; S-21, S-23, S-24, S-25, S-26, S-27, S-28, Guantanamo to New York.

U.S. ASIATIC FLEET—Pillsbury, Rizal, Bittern, Hart—all Kurile Islands, Japan.

NAVAL FORCES, EUROPE—Bulmer, Naples, Italy; Edsall and MacLeish, Spalato, Dalmatia; Parrott, Gibraltar; Scorpion, Phaleron Bay, Greece.

MISCELLANEOUS—Cincinnati, en route to Punta Arenas; Hannibal, Batabano, Cuba; Raleigh, Hampton Roads, Va.; Trenton, Ntw York Yard.

SPECIAL SERVICE SQUADRON—Cleveland, Key West, Fla.; Tulsa, Frontera, Mexico.

NAVAL TRANSPORTS—Kittery, en route to Guantanamo, Cuba; Nitro, Philadelphia, Pa.; Orion, Guantanamo, Cuba; Pyro, Bremerton, Wash.; Sapelo, San Pedro to Balboa; Sirius, Hampton Roads, Va.

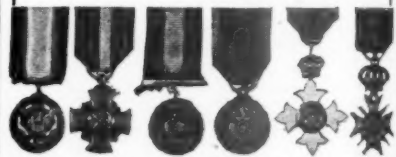
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ORDERS FOR THE ARMY

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Asst. P.M.S.T., Campion College, Prairie du Chien, Wis. (April 26, W.D.)
 Maj. A. S. Kuegle, Inf., to duty as student Infantry School, Fort Benning, Sept. 15. (April 26, W.D.)
 Lt. Col. C. F. Leonard, Inf., to duty with 8th Infantry, station at Fort Screven, Ga. (April 26, W.D.)

AIR SERVICE.

MAJ. GEN. M. M. PATRICK, C. OF A.S.

2d Lt. J. E. Gardner, A.S., having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired from active service. (April 23, W.D.)
 1st Lt. A. U. Finkle, A.S., to San Francisco and sail about July 2 for Hawaii for duty. (April 23, W.D.)

1st Lt. W. Turnbull, A.S., to Kelly Field, Texas, May 1, for course in heavy-air training, and will then sail from San Francisco about Aug. 2 for Hawaii for duty. (April 23, W.D.)

One month to 1st Lt. R. L. Owens, A.S., about April 23. (April 23, W.D.)

1st Lt. C. G. Breneman, A.S., to San Francisco and sail about Aug. 1 for Manila for duty. (Aug. 23, W.D.)

1st Lt. E. P. Gaines, A.S., to Fairfield, Ohio, for duty. (April 22, W.D.)

Capt. H. J. Brooks, C. D. Alway, L. S. Spooner and J. P. Cromwell to Fort Benning, Ga., Oct. 1, to Infantry School for duty as a student. (April 23, W.D.)

1st Lt. M. Balfour, A.S., to Mitchell Field, Long Island, N.Y., for duty. (April 24, W.D.)

Officers of Air Service assigned to stations indicated June 30 for duty: Maj. J. E. Fickel to Bolling Field, D.C.; Maj. D. C. Emmons to Crissy Field, Calif.; Capt. W. F. Voland, H. R. Harmon, L. L. Snow to Bolling Field, D.C.; Capt. C. J. Idzorek, J. F. Doherty to Kelly Field, Texas; Capt. T. E. Tillingshast to Selfridge Field, Mich.; 1st Lt. A. L. Johnson to Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill.; 1st Lt. E. E. Harmon to Bolling Field, D.C.; 1st Lt. C. V. Haynes to Crissy Field, Calif.; 1st Lt. C. E. Branshaw to Brooks Field, San Antonio, Tex.; 1st Lt. B. McK. Giles to Kelly Field, Tex.; 1st Lt. E. F. Carey to Mitchell Field, Long Island, N.Y.; 1st Lt. C. McMullen to intermediate depot, San Antonio; 1st Lt. K. D. Fastenau to Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Md.; 1st Lt. C. N. Monteith to Langley Field, Hampton, Va.; 1st Lt. J. P. Van Zandt to Bolling Field, D.C.; 1st Lt. L. N. Eller to Chanute Field, Ill.; 1st Lt. St. C. Streets to office of Chief of Air Service, Washington, D.C.; 1st Lt. B. S. Wright, K. C. McGregor to Kelly Field, Tex.; 1st Lt. R. T. Aldworth to San Antonio, Tex.; 1st Lt. F. O. Carroll to Kelly Field, Tex.; 1st Lt. A. J. Lyon to Selfridge Field, Mich. (April 26, W.D.)

Capt. M. F. Davis, A.S., to Scott Field, Ill., not later than Sept. 10, to Balloon and Airship School for instruction. (April 26, W.D.)

Capt. I. C. Eaker, A.S., to Washington, to the Chief of Air Service for duty. (April 26, W.D.)

1st Lt. C. W. Pyle, A.S., to Wilbur Wright Field, Fairfield, Ohio, June 30, for duty. (April 26, W.D.)

1st Lt. C. H. Welch, A.S., to duty as a student at the Primary Flying School, Brooks Field, San Antonio. (April 26, W.D.)

OFFICERS ORDERED TO U.S.M.A.

Officers to West Point, N.Y., for duty on dates noted: Maj. H. F. Spurgin, C.A.C., and W. H. Jones, Jr., Inf., July 1; 1st Lt. J. C. Hamilton, 11th Cav., Aug. 25; Capt. G. E. Stratemeyer, A.S., Aug. 25. (April 24, W.D.)

LEAVES.

Two months 16 days to Capt. L. H. Lohmann, C.A., about June 15; 1 month to Col. A. M. Miller, Cav.; 3 months to 1st Lt. W. L. Dixon, Inf., about May 1; 1 month to 1st Lt. W. E. Richards, A.S.; 1 month to Capt. G. P. Bush, S.C., about June 1; 2 months 15 days to 1st Lt. E. Watkins, Inf., about June 16; 2 months upon arrival from Manila to Wnt. Ofr. R. L. Johnson; 2 months to Maj. F. G. Delano, S.C., about July 1; 1 month 10 days to Capt. A. Adair, 12th Inf., about June 1; 1 month 8 days to Maj. G. P. Ahern, retired. (April 23, W.D.)

Two months and 20 days to Capt. H. T. Allen, Jr., Cav., and 1st Lt. J. M. Glasgow, Cav., about June 1, with permission to leave U.S.; 4 months to 1st Lt. A. W. Stevens, A.S., about May 7; 2 months to 1st Lt. E. C. Batten, A.S., upon arrival in U.S.; 1 month to Lt. Col. J. A. Wagner, Q.M.C.; 1 month to Capt. J. H. Whiteley, M.C., about June 8; 1 month and 20 days to Lt. Col. R. M. Parker, Cav., about July 17; 1 month to 1st Lt. F. T. Murphy, 14th Cav., about June 1, with permission to apply for an extension of 15 days. (April 24, W.D.)

Three months 25 days to Maj. H. B. McMurdo, M.C.; 2 months to Capt. M. E. Haloran, 15th Inf.; 1 month to Maj. F. R. Borden, M.C.; 3 months 20 days to 1st Lt. T. M. Tiernan, F.A.; 2 months to Lt. Col. E. O. Saunders, J.A., about July 1; 1 month 5 days to Wnt. Ofr. N. N. Pearson; 1 month 20 days to Capt. C. Challice, Jr., Q.M.C.; 2 months 15 days to Capt. W. A. Woodlief, A.G., about June 15; 1 month 15 days to Capt. S. Q. Elmore, M.C., to terminate in order to enable him to report at the Army Medical School on Sept. 1; Capt. C. Collins, 27th Inf., extended 1 month 21 days; 2 months to Maj. J. K. Herr, G.S., about July 1; 2 months to Col. H. L. T. Cave, 14th Cav., about May 25; 2 months 15 days to Capt. R. C. Hughes, D.C., about June

1; 1 month to Capt. J. M. Miller, M.C., about June 8; 3 months to Capt. C. H. Tate, F.A., about June 15; 1 month to Capt. S. A. Greenwell, Cav., about May 1; 1 month to Capt. H. W. Meisch, M.C., about June 9; Maj. J. I. Sloat, M.C., extended one month. (April 25, W.D.)

One month and 10 days to Maj. J. Y. Chisum, A.S., about July 1. (April 26, W.D.)
 One month to 1st Lt. C. A. Morrow, Q.M.C., to apply for extension of 1 month. (April 26, W.D.)

ORDERS TO RETIRED OFFICERS.

Maj. L. Parsons, retired, from active duty July 1, to home. (April 23, W.D.)

Maj. G. Nixon, retired, from further active duty, to home. (April 23, W.D.)

Maj. J. A. Washington, retired, to Miami, Fla., July 1, for treatment. (April 24, W.D.)

Lt. Col. T. H. Gunningham, retired, to Hot Springs, Ark., about May 15, for treatment. (April 26, W.D.)

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN.

The following enlisted men have been ordered retired from active service at the places named:

Staff Sergt. J. H. Harrington, S.C., at Camp Alfred Vail, N.J. (April 23, W.D.)

Staff Sergt. H. P. Connolly, S.C., at Fort McPherson, Ga. (April 22, W.D.)

1st Sergt. C. R. Bartel, 31st Inf., at Manila, P.I. (April 24, W.D.)

Master Sergt. J. M. Hughes, 38th Inf., at Fort Douglas, Utah. (April 25, W.D.)

Master Sergt. S. Guard, retired, to duty as P.M.S.T., University of Arkansas, Fayetteville. (April 26, W.D.)

Master Sergt. L. H. Thomas, 15th Inf., at Fort McDowell, Calif. (April 26, W.D.)

D.E.M.L.

Sergt. E. Luttrell, D.E.M.L. (appointed this date from private), to duty with the Illinois N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Field Artillery, Chicago. (April 24, W.D.)

Tech. Sergt. H. Tilford, D.E.M.L., Alcatraz, Calif. (April 25, W.D.)

WARRANT OFFICERS.

Wnt. Ofr. J. K. Rogers to Fort Benning for duty. (April 25, W.D.)

Wnt. Ofr. D. Blandford to Walter Reed General Hospital for treatment. (April 26, W.D.)

Resignation of Wnt. Ofr. C. R. Hogge, Holabird, Q.M., Camp Holabird, Md., for the good of the Service, is accepted. (April 26, W.D.)

ARMY FIELD CLERK.

Resignation of Army Field Clerk J. E. Mangum, Washington, D.C., is accepted. (April 26, W.D.)

Army Field Clerk U. A. Buccini to Atlanta, Ga., for duty at corps area headquarters. (April 26, W.D.)

Army Field Clerk T. L. Ferguson to Baltimore for duty. (April 26, W.D.)

G.C.M.

A G.C.M. to meet at headquarters 9th Corps Area, San Francisco. Detail: Brig. Gen. H. D. Todd, Jr.; Col. C. S. Wallace, S.C.; Lt. Col. W. A. Covington, C.A.C.; Maj. C. E. McBrayer, M.C.; W. G. Weaver, 30th Inf.; L. S. O'Toole, Inf., defense counsel. W. M. Krimbill, J.A., trial judge advocate, and F. W. Halliday, J.A., law member; Capt. M. H. Houser, C.W.S., H. G. Halverson, Q.M.C., E. Kuehn, Q.M.C., G. B. Wescott, 30th Inf., assistant trial judge advocate, and C. A. Brinkley, Q.M.C., assistant defense counsel. (April 25, W.D.)

ORGANIZED RESERVES.

Capt. S. Dewship, 1st Lts. E. F. Besette and H. P. Croft, O.O.R.C., Springfield, Mass., May 12, to active duty Springfield Armory for training. (April 23, W.D.)

LATE ARMY ORDERS

S.O. 100, APRIL 28, 1924, W.D.

Maj. B. Sneed, A.G., to Washington, to the A.G. July 1 for duty.

Maj. G. P. Hill, J.A., to Fort Hayes, Ohio, for temporary duty until about Sept. 15, then to Washington, to J.A.G. for duty in his office. Officers to Washington, to J.A.G. for duty in his office: Maj. A. King and B. D. Edwards, J.A.

Capt. G. J. Schirch, M.C., to Washington, to Walter Reed General Hospital for duty.

1st Lt. A. H. Fiske, S.O.R.C., to active duty May 11, to Washington, D.C., for training.

Maj. E. M. Whiting, Cav., to Fort Riley for duty.

Maj. J. D. Kelly, Cav., to Fort Monroe, Va., to Coast Artillery School as instructor.

Capt. F. C. DeLangton, Cav., to University of Georgia, Athens, for duty.

Maj. M. Murray, F.A., to duty as a student Field Artillery School, to Fort Sill Sept. 10.

Capt. F. B. Inglis, 24th F.A., to Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, as student.

Officers of Coast Artillery will report in person not later than Sept. 15 to Coast Artillery School as students: Maj. O. H. Longino and R. P. Hall, and Capt. J. H. Wilson.

Col. E. Croft, Inf., to Fort Hamilton, N.Y., for duty.

Col. G. D. Arrowsmith to duty with O.R. 4th Corps Area, to non-divisional group, Atlanta, Ga.

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By Raymond V. Sykes.

At the Eastern District Savings Conference of the American Bankers' Association, held recently in New York, it was estimated that at least \$1,000,000,000 a year is lost through the purchase of worthless securities. There are two classes who are responsible for this heavy investment—those who are misled into believing the securities are safe, and those who realize the risk, but are willing to assume this in the hope of making a killing.

For the latter class, there is little need of endeavoring to establish protection, because it is no one's affair but their own if they want to take the chances which they clearly realize. Unfortunately, there are few who belong to this class and realize just what odds there are against them. The greater part of the billion-dollar annual loss is taken by the investors in the first group. In this class are found not only the proverbial widow and orphan, but the business man in moderate circumstances, and not infrequently people of very substantial means. If a sound investment were offered where no extravagant claims concerning possible profits are made, but security of principal and interest emphasized, it is not improbable that such an investment would be substituted very willingly by the buyer.

Unfortunately, the hawk of wildcat stocks appears to be very much more aggressive than the distributor of sound securities, and is the first to reach the prospect. Furthermore, the promoters of questionable securities can offer very much more attractive terms than can the distributor of legitimate securities.

One of the greatest snares for corraling the dollars of the unwary investor is the partial-payment plan, or rather the misapplication of this plan. By itself, the idea of buying securities on the installment plan is thoroughly sound and one which appeals especially to the wage-earner and salaried man. The weak point is the possibility of being sold a worthless security by an irresponsible broker.

Modern-day financing is too rapid a thing, in most cases, to be dragged out over a period of a year or eighteen months, and consequently not many of the leading investment bankers can afford to employ the partial-payment principle. This leaves the field almost wide open to the fraudulent promoters. The word almost is emphasized, because there are a few first-grade investment houses who do extend the privilege of partial payment to their clients. There are also a few members of the New York Stock Exchange who will sell listed securities, when requested, on the partial-payment plan. The Army and Navy Journal will be glad to advise any Army or Navy officer the name and address of responsible investment bankers and brokers accepting partial-payment accounts if a letter is addressed to the editorial office, 354 Fourth Ave., New York.

Investigate Partial-Payment Plans

Those contemplating the purchase of securities on the partial-payment plan are urged particularly to investigate the firm through whom the investment is to be made before making any commitments. If a high-grade firm is selected it is almost certain that the security purchased will be of some merit at least, if not of a high grade, because such firms would not sell doubtful securities on any basis.

The point might be brought out that the partial-payment plan can be put into effect in substance, without, however, actually committing oneself to a partial-payment agreement. This applies primarily to the purchase of investment securities listed on the New York Stock Exchange. The stock or bond desired may be purchased through any member, willing to accept the account, on a safe margin, and the debit balance liquidated periodically at the initiative of the buyer. All legitimate brokers will accept payments in liquidation of the debit balance whenever offered. In contrast to this, one of the most conspicuous signs of the old-time bucket-shop was refusal to accept additional margin when a reaction came in the market. Incidentally, of course, the partial-payment buyer on this basis should have a reserve that he can call upon in case there should be a break in prices and the broker call unexpectedly for additional margin.

There is still another field where the partial-payment plan can be employed to advantage and one which should not be overlooked. This plan is found in the one offered by a number of public utility companies, principally electric light and power concerns, for the purchase of their preferred stocks by customers and employees. It is known as the customer ownership plan, but in substance is the partial-payment plan discussed above. Last year saw the distribution of approximately \$250,000,000 by this method, and it has come to be one of the main sources of financing among the public utilities. It is not confined entirely to customers of a local electric light plant, although the appeal is made primarily to them. Anyone interested would be permitted to purchase preferred shares on this basis. They are usually offered at the rate of \$10 a share initial payment, and subsequent monthly payments ranging from \$5 to \$10 a share.

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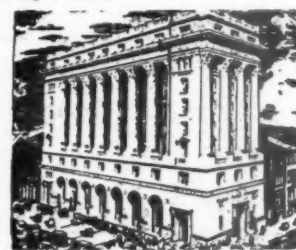
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CORPS AREA ORDERS

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Maj. E. M. Duncan, San Diego, Calif., to Hqrs. 435th Eng. Bn.
Capt. A. I. Matthews, Tacoma, Wash., to Hqrs. 436th Eng. Bn.; J. H. Markham, Centuria, Wash., to Hqrs. and Service Platoon, 436th Eng. Bn.
1st Lts. R. R. Rowe, San Diego, Calif., to Co. C, 435th Eng. Bn.; A. W. Ames, Seattle, Wash., to Co. A, 463d Eng. Bn.; D. L. Carmody, Sunnyside, Wash., to Co. O, 436th Eng. Bn.; F. A. Atwill, Oakland, Calif., to Co. A, 444th Eng. Bn.; J. S. Colton, Los Angeles, Calif., to Hqrs. 349th Eng. Regt.; P. V. Hanf, San Bernardino, Calif., to Hqrs. and Service Co., 349th Eng. Regt.; V. N. Scott, Los Angeles, Calif., to Co. B, 349th Eng. Regt.; T. F. Wason, Los Angeles, Calif., to Co. R, 349th Eng. Regt.; F. C. Stilson, Los Angeles, Calif., to Co. F, 349th Eng. Regt.
2d Lts. A. C. Horner, Stockton, Calif., to Co. C, 444th Eng. Bn.; G. H. Barnsdale, Los Angeles, Calif., to Co. A, 349th Eng. Regt.; L. B. Donn, Los Angeles, Calif., to Co. B, 349th Eng. Regt.; J. A. Gray, Philomoth, Ore., to Co. D, 437th Eng. Bn.; G. E. Batchelder, San Francisco, Calif., to 583d Dump Truck Train, G.H.Q. Reserve. (April 17, 9th C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

Capt. H. M. Pugh, Hollywood, Calif., to 384th Ser. Sqdn.; M. D. Shappell, Los Angeles, Calif., to A Flight, 513th Obs. Sqdn., G.H.Q. Reserve.
2d Lts. L. E. Thomas, Los Angeles, Calif., to B Flight, 478th Pursuit Sqdn., 3d Army; W. A. Dow, Jr., San Francisco, Calif., to B Flight, 477th Pursuit Sqdn., 3d Army; A. D. Hyman, San Francisco, Calif., to C Flight, 477th Pursuit Sqdn., 3d Army; H. B. Pentland, Los Angeles, Calif., to 368th Obs. Sqdn.; F. E. Wilson, Stanford University, Calif., to 440th Obs. Sqdn., 6th Army; J. W. Frost, Los Angeles, Calif., to B Flight, 510th Attack Sqdn., G.H.Q. Reserve; D. J. Hileman, Los Angeles, Calif., to B Flight, 510th Attack Sqdn., G.H.Q. Reserve; H. C. Oaks, Los Angeles, Calif., to Flight C, 510th Attack Sqdn., G.H.Q. Reserve; R. W. Prior, Berkeley, Calif., to A Flight, 512th Attack Sqdn., G.H.Q. Reserve; R. C. Merriam, Huntington Park, Calif., to 364th Ser. Sqdn., 9th Corps; W. H. Kelly, San Francisco, Calif., to B Flight, 477th Pursuit Sqdn., 3d Army. (April 18, 9th C.A.)
To 91st Div., O.R.—Capt. D. Gallagher, I. R.C., San Francisco, Calif.; 1st Lt. A. L. Howell, F.A.R.C., Long Beach, Calif.; 2d Lts. C. Green, F.A.R.C., Long Beach, Calif.; R. Wronker, S.R.C., Los Angeles, Calif. (April 18, 9th C.A.)

Reserve Officers Assigned

To 96th Div., O.R.:
Field Artillery—Capt. K. Hodges, Everett, Wash.; L. Solon, Seattle, Wash.; F. M. Weil, White Bluffs, Wash.; H. A. Wells, Spokane, Wash.; 1st Lts. W. G. Witter, Seattle, Wash.; J. H. Happy, Spokane, Wash.; 2d Lts. B. C. Potts, Seattle, Wash.; F. D. Shannon, Tacoma, Wash.
Infantry—Capt. R. Miller, Seattle, Wash.; A. D. Vaughan, Seattle, Wash.; F. W. Stai-ger, Seattle, Wash.; W. O. McKay, Seattle, Wash.; L. R. Gaynor, Jr., Seattle, Wash.; M. F. Daum, Portland, Ore.; R. T. Fleming, Portland, Ore.; J. H. Lynch, Portland, Ore.; 1st Lts. J. F. Hotchkiss, Spokane, Wash.; J. M. W. Manning, Spokane, Wash.; C. H. Moore, Spokane, Wash.; R. W. Richardson, Spokane, Wash.; R. I. Nichols, Wenatchee, Wash.; R. E. Shaub, Tacoma, Wash.; F. M. Smith, Spokane, Wash.; 2d Lt. K. D. McDermid, Puyallup, Wash. (April 19, 9th C.A.)

Reserve Officers Attached

1st Lt. H. T. Higginbotham, Q.M.R.C., Los Angeles, Calif., to Supply Ser., Q.M. Section, 19th Corps; 2d Lt. T. A. Lamb, C.R.C., San Diego, Calif., to Troop C, 323d Cav., 6th Army. (April 12, 9th C.A.)

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MAJ. GEN. C. P. SUMMERALL, COMDR.
Col. W. F. Hase, Chief of Staff.

Leaves

Four months to Army Fld. Clk. W. E. Redmon, to leave Hawaii about April 17. (March 14, H.D.)
One month 17 days to Col. J. J. Toffey, 35th Inf., to leave Honolulu about June 13; 1 month 24 days to Capt. J. H. Harrington, 64th Art., to leave Honolulu about June 13. (March 6, H.D.)
Two months 22 days to 2d Lt. F. Moore, M.A.C., to leave Honolulu about June 13; 2 months to 2d Lt. W. J. Wolfe, 64th Art., to leave Hawaii about July 12; 3 months 25 days to 2d Lt. E. J. McGaw, 13th F.A., to leave Hawaii about July 12. (March 19, H.D.)

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Two months 11 days, to terminate not later than July 29, to Col. W. B. Ladue, 11th Engrs. (April 8, P.C.D.)

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GOVERNORS ISLAND

NEW YORK, APRIL 23.

Capt. and Mrs. Van Voorhoeve entertained at dinner Capt. Lewis Mesberry, transport Q.M. of the Cambrai, April 14.

On Easter Sunday, at the Episcopal Chapel, a special service was held, with music by part of Trinity choir, and at the Catholic Chapel a mass for two voices was sung by Mrs. Cromwell, soprano, and Mrs. Davis, contralto. Miss Bullard was the organist.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Higgins, Lt. and Mrs. Powell, Maj. Ulio and Capt. Arnold were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of New York city on April 13.

Mrs. Eby and Miss Eby have returned from a visit to Washington. Col. and Mrs. Oakes have their sons, Jack and Hawley, with them from Yale for the Easter vacation. On April 22 they gave a dinner for Misses Jean Conrad, Betty Crosby, Margaret Kerfoot and Helen Eby, Waters Davis, Jack and Hawley Oakes. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Davis entertained Miss Henrietta Fuller of New York city over the week-end.

On April 16 Maj. and Mrs. Fleet entertained informally for their house guest, Mrs. Walte Johnson. The guests included Lt. Col. and Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Nall, Mrs. Phinney and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Fraser. Mr. Hardin Price is spending his Easter vacation with his parents, Col. and Mrs. Price.

Maj. and Mrs. Fleet spent the week-end at Port Washington, Long Island, as the guests of Mrs. Fleet's sister, Mrs. Ross. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Taylor are entertaining Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. Phinney of Plattburg Barracks.

Lt. Col. Higgins is in Philadelphia on a brief visit. Maj. and Mrs. Fleet have as their guests Miss Dodge and Mr. Donald Ross, nephew of Mrs. Fleet, from Port Washington.

The Tuesday Bridge Club met on April 15 at the Officers' Club, with Mrs. Ward as hostess. Gen. and Miss Bullard gave a dinner on April 23 for guests from New York city—Mr. and Mrs. Nixon, Col. and Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Disque, and Mr. and Mrs. Sloan of Brooklyn. Lt. G. T. Wyche has returned from a two months' leave in the South.

Col. and Mrs. Baldwin entertained informally at luncheon on April 13. Maj. and Mrs. Ardrey entertained Maj. Roe, from the University of Delaware, over the week-end.

Maj. Ulio gave an informal dinner at the Officers' Club on April 20. His guests were Maj. and Mrs. Ardrey, Capt. and Mrs. Van Voorhoeve, Capt. and Mrs. Cromwell and Capt. Arnold.

HAWAIIAN NOTES

FORT SHAFTER, HONOLULU, APRIL 1.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. P. Summerall were dinner hosts Tuesday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones and Mr. and Mrs. S. Jones. The guests were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. T. Menoher, Col. and Mrs. William Kelly, R. P. Reeder, Maj. and Mrs. R. J. Kirkpatrick, Lt. and Mrs. J. F. C. Hyde.

Mrs. William F. Hase and her mother, Mrs. Newman, sailed for the mainland Saturday on the transport Grant. Mrs. Hase plans to be away about six weeks.

Col. and Mrs. Carl R. Darnall were dinner hosts Thursday for Maj. and Mrs. Seymour Schwartz, Capt. and Mrs. R. M. Kiser, Lt. and Mrs. Horace J. Caterer and Edward Blanchard.

Mrs. W. E. Chambers was a bridge hostess Tuesday for Mrs. Thomas Osborne, John Dye, Theodore Hall, F. J. De Rohan, Edward Blanchard, D. R. Headrick, E. A. Rudelius, Converse Lewis, David Cummings, Parke Young, Norman McNeill, J. J. McCollister, N. C. Forde and C. L. Marriott, Misses Gilmore and Grimshaw of Chicago.

Capt. and Mrs. R. M. Butler were bridge hosts Friday for Capt. and Mrs. Leonard Crews, John Shellhorn and M. H. Parsons, Lt. and Mrs. Sherman Willard.

Mrs. Horace L. Whittaker gave a bridge luncheon Tuesday for sixteen guests. Col. and Mrs. R. P. Reeder were supper hosts Sunday for Col. and Mrs. William Kelly and William F. Hase. Maj. and Mrs. T. M. Spaulding and Miss McCullough.

Maj. and Mrs. W. H. Langan were informal dinner hosts Wednesday for Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. P. Summerall and Comdr. and Mrs. E. C. Hanley. Mrs. Robert M. Butler was a bridge hostess Monday for sixteen friends. Maj. and Mrs. Seymour Schwartz and Capt. and Mrs. Horace L. Whittaker left Saturday on the transport Grant.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. P. Summerall were dinner hosts March 17 for Capt. and Mrs. Thomas E. Watson, U.S.N., Col. and Mrs. Mmes. H. M. Merriam, F. L. Bradman, Maj. and Mrs. Thomas Osborne, W. K. Wilson, Mr. Jenison and Miss Jenison.

Maj. and Mrs. Lesley J. McNair were supper hosts Sunday for Maj. Gen. and Mrs. C. P. Summerall and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Stephen O. Fuqua. Mrs. Sydney Smith gave a luncheon Saturday for Mmes. E. J. Miley, S. O. Fuqua and David Dowsett.

Maj. and Mrs. Converse Lewis were dinner hosts Wednesday at the Moana for Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Summerall, Col. and Mrs. Laubach, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Fuqua, Mrs. E. J. Miley, Misses Maxwell, Sally Miley, Julia Reeder, Capt. A. H. Cummings, Coleman Driver, J. E. Harris, Lts. D. B. Rogers, G. R. Burgess and H. E. Sanderson.

Mrs. Charles Brice entertained the Fort Shafter Bridge Club on Thursday. Mrs. Edward Blanchard gave a bridge party Saturday in honor of Mrs. William Waring. Maj. and Mrs. Harry Stark were dinner hosts Thursday

for Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Summerall, Col. and Mrs. Reeder and Cowan, Maj. and Mrs. W. K. Wilson, Miss Sally Miley and Maj. W. C. Foote.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles Perfect gave a dinner at the Young Hotel Thursday. The guests were Capt. and Mrs. R. J. Kirkpatrick, T. L. Holland and M. A. McFaden.

Maj. and Mrs. C. R. Finley were dinner hosts Thursday for Col. and Mrs. R. E. Wyllie, Maj. and Mrs. F. A. Mountford and H. L. Conner, Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Whittaker, W. F. Marquat, W. C. Braly, George Fisher, M. H. Parsons, Charles Brice, Lt. and Mrs. Rene de Russy and Miss Finley.

SAN DIEGO AND NEARBY BASES

CALIFORNIA, APRIL 10.

Miss Frances Buck, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Morton P. L. Buck, U.S.A., and Miss Marian Butz, daughter of Mrs. Alvin J. Butz, were hostesses at a formal dancing party at the Officers' Club at Fort Rosecrans Friday evening.

The Army Social Club enjoyed a bridge and dancing party at the Wednesday Club house on Friday evening, with Mrs. H. L. Applewhite and Mrs. Frank B. Jones as hostesses.

Lt. and Mrs. Edouard V. Isaacs left Thursday for New Orleans, whence they sailed early this week for a three months' tour of Europe, accompanied by their two children.

Mrs. John Stafford, wife of Maj. Stafford, U.S.A., retired, entertained Saturday with a luncheon party in honor of Mrs. Valmah Tupello Price of Elkader, Iowa, who is visiting her mother and sisters here.

Capt. Frank B. McCrary, a former commandant of the naval air station on North Island, now commander of the submarine tender Canopus, is spending a month's leave here.

Mrs. Uriel Seebree, widow of Rear Adm. Seebree, U.S.N., has arrived here from Fredericksburg, Va., for a visit of six weeks with Mrs. John V. Cheney at the Lanier Hotel.

Capt. and Mrs. W. M. Randolph entertained this week in honor of Maj. and Mrs. Henry H. Arnold, who are leaving for their new station in Panama. Maj. Arnold has been commanding officer at Rockwell Field.

Brig. Gen. H. D. Todd, jr., commanding the 9th Coast Artillery District, accompanied by Mrs. Todd and their daughter and the general's military aid, Lt. H. H. Myrah, arrived to-day by automobile from San Francisco, on a tour of inspection of coast defenses.

Rear Adm. Ashley H. Robertson, who has been undergoing treatment at the naval hospital in Balboa Park for ten days, was operated upon this week for gall stones, and is reported as making a good recovery. Capt. David Sellers, commanding officer of the naval training station, is acting commandant of the 11th Naval District during the period of Adm. Robertson's hospital confinement.

Rear Adm. Edward Simpson, commandant of the 12th Naval District, with headquarters at San Francisco, is spending a month's leave here.

PHILADELPHIA

PENNSYLVANIA, APRIL 15.

Mrs. William Roberts has returned to her home in Lexington, Ky., after an extended visit with Capt. and Mrs. A. C. Roberts. Shortly before her departure the friends of Mrs. Roberts surprised her with an afternoon party, each guest, like the Greeks of old, bearing a gift.

The Army Luncheon Club, whose membership consists of National Guard, Reserve and Regular Army officers of Philadelphia, was inaugurated in a luncheon at the Adelphia Hotel, April 9, with Col. C. C. Horney president, Col. W. H. Oury vice president, and Lt. Col. W. D. Wills secretary and treasurer.

Lt. H. A. Gardner has returned to his student duty at the Quartermaster Corps School after a period of treatment in Walter Reed General Hospital.

FIELD ARTILLERY SCHOOL

FORT SILL, OKLA., APRIL 16.

The 2d Battalion of the 1st Field Artillery celebrated the marriage of one of their officers, Lt. W. E. Waters, to Miss Marion Maury of Mobile, Ala., with a dinner-dance at the Officers' Club on April 15. The old Army custom was revived when the bride and bridegroom were escorted to their destination on a caisson, surrounded by a guard of honor, carrying the battalion guidons. The procession was heralded by trumpeters dressed as clowns, and torches and flares illuminated the gayly bedecked caisson. Upon the arrival of the party at the club, the couple were greeted with a shower of rice. The bride was gownned in a lovely orchid georgette, beaded in an elaborate design, and carried a bouquet of flowers presented by the battalion. The tables were arranged to form the letters M—W, and spring flowers and place-cards of brides and grooms ornamented the tables.

Maj. and Mrs. J. F. Barnes gave a buffet supper on Saturday. On Wednesday night Maj. and Mrs. H. Beukema entertained Maj. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis, Maj. and Mrs. Sharp, Col. Butler and Maj. Lanavere. Capt. F. G. Chad-dock and Mrs. Chad-dock entertained at dinner Thursday for Capt. and Mrs. De Coon and Bell, Lt. and Mrs. J. C. Dolan, and Father

Lamb of Lawton. Mrs. W. F. Jones returned April 10 with her daughter, Mrs. E. Elwood, and grandchild from San Antonio. Mrs. T. C. McCormick entertained on Tuesday with a bridge tea, complimenting Mrs. De Armond.

Master Kermit Lawson Kosch entertained on his fourteenth birthday anniversary, April 6, with dinner and mah jong. The guests present were Misses Margaret and Lucy O'Connell, Janet Savage, Virginia Stecker, Masters Tom Savage, Horace Hill and Harold Gaston.

Mrs. H. B. Allen had three tables of bridge on April 11, followed by tea. Mrs. W. F. Sharp had mah jong followed by tea on Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. A. Small. Mrs. E. M. Wilson gave a tea on Saturday in honor of Maj. Wilson's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Roy C. Moore was hostess at a bridge tea on Wednesday. Maj. J. A. Rogers had a stag luncheon on Saturday for Col. Naylor, Lt. and Mrs. E. H. Almqvist entertained the ladies and officers of the 1st Battalion with a buffet supper Saturday.

Mrs. Hall of Texas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Colbern, and Capt. Colbern.

Capt. F. G. Chad-dock and his mother entertained on April 7 and 14 at dinner for Col. and Miss Leonard, Capt. and Mrs. Wrenn, Capt. Beasley, Col. and Mrs. Sturdevant, Maj. and Mrs. Sliney, Maj. and Mrs. O'Connell. Mrs. Frank Ward entertained the primary grade teachers of the Sunday school, including Mmes. Easterbrook, Chad-dock, Dasher and Rhett.

FORT HAYES

COLUMBUS, OHIO, APRIL 19.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Dwight E. Aultman of Fort Benjamin Harrison arrived at Fort Hayes April 15 and were guests of Col. and Mrs. Walter T. Bates of Fort Hayes until April 18. Mrs. Aultman was complimented with a number of social affairs during her stay. Mrs. Bates gave a tea in her honor Tuesday, entertaining forty-five guests. Mrs. Frederick B. Shaw gave a luncheon party in Mrs. Aultman's honor at the Athletic Club April 16, and Wednesday evening Mrs. Truman O. Murphy entertained informally at cards. Thursday evening Mrs. Robert L. Tavenner gave a bridge party of four tables for Mrs. Aultman, and Mrs. Reynolds J. Burt entertained twelve at luncheon Thursday at the Maramor for Mrs. Aultman and Mrs. R. J. Burt, jr.

Col. and Mrs. Reynolds J. Burt have as guests their son and daughter-in-law. Lt. and Mrs. R. J. Burt, jr., of Fort Du Pont, Del. The visitors remained over Easter, and then motored from Columbus to Fort Wayne, Ind., where they will be guests of Mrs. Burt's father, Col. James Hannah. Lt. Burt is on a month's leave.

Miss Margaret Bates of Fort Hayes was complimented with a swimming party given Friday evening, April 18, at the Athletic Club by Capt. and Mrs. S. LeRoy Irwin, Ohio State University, Columbus. Miss Mary Lee Powell, Du Bois, Pa., fiancée of Lt. Lynn E. Brady, Fort Hayes, who with Mrs. Clarissa Howells has been spending a short time at Fort Hayes, has returned to her home.

Lt. Forrest E. Cookson, son of C. W. Cookson, county superintendent of schools, Columbus, is visiting at the home of his parents. He is stationed at Fort Omaha, where he is aid to Brig. Gen. Halstead Dorey.

Mmes. Charles D. Rhodes, Nathaniel F. McClure, Reynolds J. Burt and Seth W. Cook presided at the tables at the tea given April 15 by Mrs. Walter T. Bates, honoring Mrs. Dwight E. Aultman. Assisting were Mmes. Danielson, Morris, Huddleson, Aurand, Irwin, McFarland and Delehanty. There were forty-five guests.

ATLANTA AND VICINITY

GEORGIA, APRIL 16.

Col. and Mrs. C. S. Smith entertained at a beautiful dinner, followed by bridge and mah jong, on April 12 for Col. and Mrs. W. R. Dashiell, M. N. Falls, R. H. Peck and H. A. Parker. Col. Smith has decided to retire on June 30. He and his family will move to California to live.

Mrs. H. W. Keller entertained at bridge on April 11. The many friends of Maj. Gen. David C. Shanks celebrated his birthday anniversary on April 6 by calling during the afternoon. A dinner was given in his honor that evening.

Capt. C. A. Watkins has recovered from his recent illness. His family have returned from Tennessee, where they have been visiting. Capt. Watkins's mother is visiting them for a few weeks.

FORT SLOCUM

NEW YORK, APRIL 17.

Mr. Albert Thompson of the Electrical Engineering College of Harvard University is spending his Easter recess with his cousin, Capt. John W. Thompson, and Mrs. Thompson.

Lt. and Mrs. F. Taylor entertained Monday evening with informal dancing. Mr. Victor Wierman of Philadelphia, cousin of Capt. Metcalfe Reed, was guest of Capt. and Mrs. Reed last Thursday.

Capt. and Mrs. Metcalfe Reed were hosts Wednesday evening at a large bridge party in honor of Misses Eleanor and Louise Ballou, sisters of Mrs. Donald Henley.

FORT HAMILTON

NEW YORK, APRIL 14.

The annual election of officers of Fort Hamilton Section 11 of the Army Relief Society, Branch 1, of New York, took place April 8, the local section's first anniversary. The members have been active during the past year, and a great deal has been accomplished along relief lines by them. This section was one of three which was given favorable mention officially. The officers elected at this time were: President, Mrs. E. H. Wagner; vice president, Mrs. F. A. Dale, and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Livingston Watrous. Plans for the Fort Hamilton horse show were discussed, and at a meeting early in May they will be completed. The dates selected for the show are May 23 and 24. The section has 100 per cent. membership of the officers and ladies of the post.

Mrs. Lloyd on Monday gave a tea, to which all the ladies of the garrison were invited, in honor of Capt. Lloyd's mother and sister, who were visiting them. Mrs. Lloyd and Miss Lloyd returned to their home Saturday.

Capt. and Mrs. Gibson spent the weekend in Philadelphia, where Capt. Gibson was groomsmen for Lt. Prouty, whose marriage to Miss Gene Willoughby took place on Saturday.

Mrs. James L. Carman on April 9 gave a tea in honor of her sister, Miss Nell Patten, whose engagement to Mr. Lloyd Morrison Duff of Brooklyn, N.Y., was announced at that time. Those who assisted Mrs. Carman in receiving were Mrs. Kimmel, Miss Patten, Misses Margaret Kimmel and Audrey Dale. Mrs. Wagner poured coffee, and Mrs. Dale poured tea. Assisting were Mmes. John A. Andrews, T. R. Gibson, T. G. Methven, C. F. Evers and Vincent J. Conrad. About fifty guests called during the afternoon.

FORT SCREVEN

GEORGIA, APRIL 14.

A dance was held in the Post Theater on March 15 in aid of the Army Relief fund. The hall was beautifully decorated by Lt. Middleton. Preceding the dance Capt. and Mrs. Clemenson had a dinner party, their guests including Maj. and Mrs. Macklin, Maj. and Mrs. Price, Lt. and Mrs. Rodgers and Mrs. Katzenstein. Capt. and Mrs. Chickering were hosts at a hop supper.

Maj. Gen. Helmick made his annual inspection of the post on March 17 and 18. A reception and dance were given in his honor in the Post Theater. Capt. and Mrs. Roper were hosts at a dinner and bridge party on March 18.

The post bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Clemenson on March 20. There were three tables of players. Lt. and Mrs. Reynolds gave a dinner and bridge party on March 20. Maj. and Mrs. Price gave a dinner, bridge and mah jong on March 23 for thirty guests. On March 27 the post bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Egger.

To compliment a recent bride, Mrs. Emanuel, Capt. and Mrs. Clay gave a buffet supper preceding the hop on March 28. They had about thirty guests. Mrs. Hall on April 1 entertained the members of the bridge club at a bridge tea. Capt. and Mrs. Tourtellott had a bridge supper on April 4 for Capt. and Mrs. Roper, Capt. and Mrs. Chickering, Lt. and Mrs. Emanuel, Lt. Schow.

Capt. and Mrs. Chickering were hosts at a dinner party on April 9 for Col. and Mrs. Sheldon, Capt. and Mrs. Hall and Lt. and Mrs. Rodgers. The post bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Emanuel on April 10. There were three tables of players.

Mrs. Price gave a bridge luncheon April 15 for sixteen guests.

CHICAGO SERVICE NOTES

ILLINOIS, APRIL 16.

In entertaining the Staff Card Club at lunch Mrs. Stritzinger had as guests Mmes. Guerin and White. Mrs. J. P. Smith gave a luncheon at the Woman's Athletic Club on the day Gen. Allen spoke there, and other Army women that day were Mmes. Caldwell, Rutherford, C. C. Smith, Nelly and Small.

Gen. Drum was here on a visit of inspection. Col. Dean left for Walter Reed Hospital. Gen. Hale returned from a trip to New York. Mrs. Brezina made a short visit to her aunt, Mrs. Morsman, at the Chicago Beach Hotel, en route to join her husband at the Q.M. School in Philadelphia.

The wife of Lt. Col. George W. England was a recent guest in Chicago with Mrs. C. C. Smith. Mrs. Brown, the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Harker, is spending a month from San Antonio while her husband is on the target range.

Gen. Farnsworth while inspecting out here was among the guests, with Gen. Hale, of Col. and Mrs. Ham at the Men's Athletic Club. Gen. Hale had a dinner for Gen. Farnsworth at the University Club, followed by the theater. Other guests were Mrs. Hubbard, Col. and Mrs. Mmes. Smith and Caldwell, and Mr. Guillemet, who is the brother-in-law of Mrs. C. C. Smith. Parties given at the April dinner dances were by Maj. and Mrs. Englehart, Wilkinson and White, and Col. and Mrs. Willard. Maj. White has been ordered to the school at Camp Benning, Maj. Smith and Spiller go to the school at Fort Leavenworth, and Col. Ely has put in for retirement.

Mrs. Sillman took the Staff Card Club to the South Shore Country Club for lunch. Miss Dorothy Stritzinger and Master Teddy Stritzinger were luncheon guests of Gen. Hale at the Union League Club.

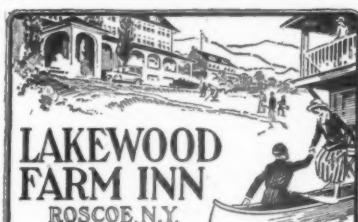
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FORT DES MOINES

IOWA, APRIL 14.

Lt. and Mrs. Adams dined with Capt. and Mrs. Christman March 23. Mrs. Davidson entertained several tables of bridge on March 23. Mrs. Earnest A. Williams returned March 24 from an extended visit to her home in Texas.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson has been quite ill, but is rapidly gaining her strength.

Mrs. King entertained eighteen guests at a bridge luncheon at Harris Emery's tea room on March 24.

Mrs. Davidson dined with Capt. and Mrs. Cockrell March 25. Mrs. Adams, with her daughter Sarah, left March 25 on a visit to her home in Ohio. The Community Sewing Circle met March 25 at the Service Club. Mrs. Beecher and Mrs. Mullenix were the hostesses.

Lts. Mitchell, Rehm and Willis entertained twenty guests at a dinner and bridge party March 26. Mrs. Cavanaugh served tea to a few of her friends to meet her house guest, Miss Mary Ferguson, on March 27. Capt. and Mrs. Mullenix dined with Capt. and Mrs. Beecher March 27.

The 9th Field Artillery Bridge Club met with Mrs. Lawhon March 27. She also invited several guests from town. On March 28 Capt. and Mrs. Christman dined with Capt. and Mrs. Phillips. Mrs. Davidson entertained with several tables of bridge. Capt. Carmichael was host at a dinner and theater party for Maj. and Mrs. Shepherd and Capt. and Mrs. Lawhon. Mrs. Metcalf and Mrs. Black honored the visiting mothers on the post with a tea.

The Community Sewing Circle held its last meeting in the Service Club March 31. Mrs. Evans served tea. Mrs. Cannon, wife of Capt. Cannon, who is stationed in Des Moines on Reserve duty, entertained a number of post ladies at a bridge luncheon at Harris Emery's tea room in honor of Mrs. Earnest A. Williams.

On April 1 the officers and ladies of the post gave a "hard times hop." The bachelors of the 9th Field Artillery entertained at a very cleverly appointed regimental dinner before the hop, and Capt. and Mrs. Christman gave a dinner for Mrs. Hammer, Lt. Burcham, Lt. and Mrs. McEnery and Capt. and Mrs. Cockrell.

Lts. Mitchell and Ready dined with Capt. and Mrs. Cockrell April 2. Mrs. Benson entertained a number of friends at a sewing tea April 2. Miss Rehm visited her brother, Lt. George A. Rehm, over the week-end.

The 9th Field Artillery Bridge Club met with Mrs. Shepherd April 3. Mrs. Mullenix honored Miss Ferguson with a luncheon of eight covers April 4.

The officers of the 14th Cavalry interested in polo held a get-together dinner on April 4. About eighteen officers were present. Plans for the summer polo season were discussed. Capt. Cockrell was elected polo representative.

Mrs. Cavanaugh entertained the visitors on the post at a theater party April 5. Capt. Cockrell gave Mrs. Cockrell a surprise birthday dinner party at the Wakonda dinner dance April 5. The guests were Col. and Mrs. Cavanaugh, Capt. and Mrs. Peabody and Capt. and Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Cavanaugh and Mrs. Cockrell celebrated April 6 at a joint birthday supper, to which twenty guests were invited. There were two huge birthday cakes of sixteen candles each.

Mrs. Miller was the hostess at a huge bridge luncheon for thirty-six ladies April 7 in honor of her mother, Mrs. Foss. Lt. Col. Goodrich, 7th Corps Area I.G., arrived April 8 for the annual inspection.

Mrs. Shepherd served luncheon to twenty-six guests April 8. On April 9 the Post Bridge Club held its last meeting for the season at the home of Mrs. Cockrell, joint hostess with Mrs. Christman.

A number of post ladies were guests of Mrs. Frank Jensen of Des Moines at a bridge luncheon April 11.

Capt. Tobin entertained Col. Goodrich, Capt. Cockrell and Mullenix at a dinner and theater party April 11 to honor the colonel. Col. Cavanaugh entertained in honor of Col. Goodrich with a luncheon on April 11. The post staff and Maj. Shepherd were the guests. A review followed by an inspection was given on April 12 as a part of the inspector's visit.

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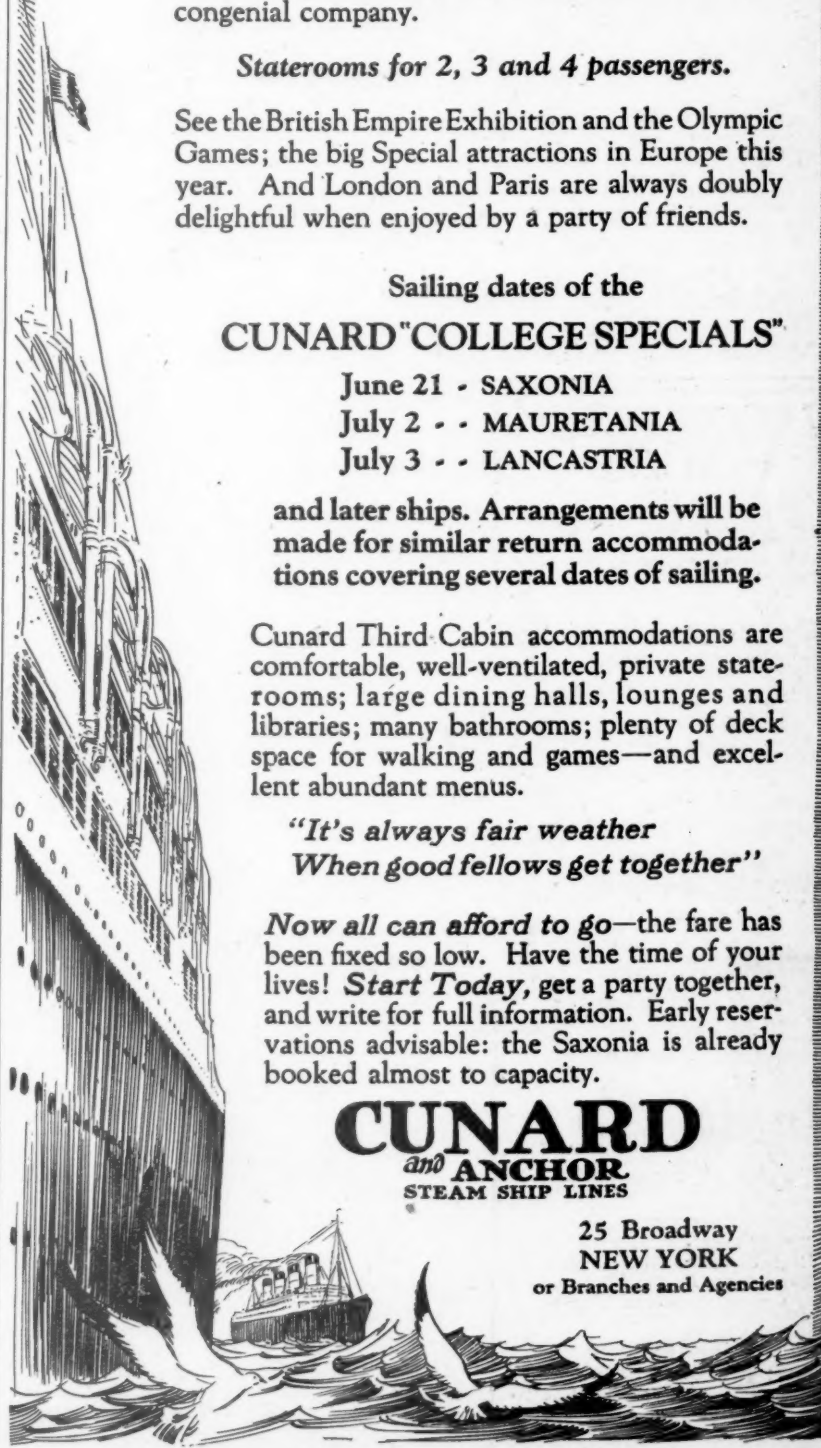
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LATE ARMY ORDERS

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Lt. Col. G. C. Marshall, jr., Inf., assigned to 15th Infantry July 1, and will sail from New York city July 12 for San Francisco, and from there about Aug. 1 for China for duty with American Forces.

Lt. Col. H. L. Cooper, Inf., to duty with the Tanks, Camp Meade, Md., Aug. 12.

Maj. E. W. Fales, Inf., is assigned to 11th Infantry June 30, to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., for duty.

Capt. L. V. Hunnicutt, Inf., to duty with 315th Engineers, 90th Div., O.R., San Antonio.

Lt. Col. L. L. Roach, Inf., to duty with O.R. 5th Corps Area, with 100th Div., Huntington, W. Va.

Capt. A. R. Walk and W. F. Rehm, Inf., to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

1st Lt. T. J. Davis, 18th Inf., July 1, to duty Fort Hamilton, N.Y.

Leaves.

One month to Brig. Gen. J. W. Joyes, Asst. Chief of Ordnance, about April 29; 2 months to Maj. A. L. Sneed, A.S., about June 20; Maj. V. P. Erwin, F.A., leave extended 3 months 18 days.

Organized Reserves

Capt. W. L. Hanson, M.O.R.C., to School of Aviation Medicine, Mitchel Field, N.Y., May 12, for instruction.

2d Lt. H. T. Prothero, O.O.R.C., to active duty Rock Island, Ill., May 12, to Rock Island Arsenal for training.

1st Lt. C. M. Fooks, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 11, to Philadelphia for training.

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Maj. E. G. Northington, retired, on July 1 to Miami, Fla., for recruiting.

Capt. A. M. Weyand, Inf., to duty as instructor, Pennsylvania N.G., to Philadelphia.

Maj. F. D. Francis, M.C., to Hot Springs, Ark., for treatment.

Maj. M. W. Sullivan, Inf., is detailed in I.G.D. and to Fort Sam Houston Aug. 27.

Capt. R. F. Dark, Inf., on June 25 to Fort Sheridan to 2d Infantry for temporary duty, and then to Fort Benning on Oct. 1.

Capt. G. A. Davis, Inf., on Aug. 1 to Fort Williams, Me., to 5th Infantry for temporary duty, and then to Fort Benning on Oct. 1 to Infantry School as a student.

Maj. J. L. Benedict, G.S., from treatment at Army and Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., to proper station.

Leave for 2 months and 10 days to Col. L. S. Sorley, Inf., about June 15.

Capt. C. H. Brownlee and R. R. Culbertson, M.O.R.C., to active duty May 12 at School of Aviation Medicine, Mitchel Field, N.Y., for instruction.

1st Lt. G. A. Counts, C.E., to duty with 8th Corps Area, Galveston, Tex., in addition to his other duties.

Lt. Col. G. F. Jenks, O.D., to Fort Sam Houston, Tex., for duty.

Maj. R. Coker, A.S., to Scott Field, Ill., for duty.

Leave for 2 months and 15 days to Maj. C. A. Walker, jr., O.D., about June 10.

Lt. Col. W. E. Persons, Inf., to Washington to Chief of Infantry for duty in his office.

Capt. P. G. Capps, M.C., to N.Y. city and sail about June 10 for Panama C.Z.

The name of Col. T. Q. Ashburn, C.A.C., is removed from D.O.L. June 30.

Capt. M. H. Ellison, O.O.R.C., to active duty May 11 at Rock Island, Ill.

Leave for 4 months to Lt. Col. F. S. Long, C.A.C., to visit Asia.

1st Lt. A. J. Nichols, Inf., to Fort Williams, Me., for temporary duty with 5th Inf., then to permanent station, Orono, Me.

Capt. E. S. Johnston, Inf., to Fort Benning on Oct. 1 to Infantry School as student.

Sergt. W. J. Janess, 13th Cav., to duty with Wyoming N.G. as sergeant-instructor of Cavalry; to Wheatland.

Sergt. J. C. Carr, D.E.M.L., placed upon retired list at Alcatraz, Calif.

Capt. J. L. Girault, Inf., to Fort Benning on Oct. 1 to Infantry School as student.

Capt. R. C. Van Vliet, jr., Inf., is assigned to 16th Inf. Brigade; to Fort Howard, Md., for duty.

Maj. W. R. Scott, Inf., on Oct. 1 is assigned to 1st Div. for duty.

Maj. T. E. Harwood, jr., M.C., on Sept. 1 to duty with O.R. of 4th Corps Area, with 306th Medical Regiment, 81st Div., Knoxville, Tenn.

1st Lt. R. W. Propst, A.S., to Mitchel Field, N.Y., for duty.

Maj. P. W. Baade, Inf., to Washington, D.C., to Chief of Infantry for duty.

Capt. L. C. Allen, Inf., to 29th Infantry for duty.

Maj. W. H. Dodds, jr., G.S. (F.A.), to West Point, N.Y., June 30, for duty.

2d Lt. T. D. White, Inf., from Panama about Aug. 2, to West Point, N.Y., for duty.

1st Lt. R. W. Hubbell, Inf. (Tanks), from temporary duty Paris, France, to return and to West Point, N.Y., and report Aug. 25 for duty.

Maj. H. L. Taylor, Inf., to West Point, N.Y., July 1, for duty.

The transfer of 2d Lt. J. A. Chambers, A.S., to Corps of Engrs. on April 24, rank from June 12, 1923, is announced. He will remain on his present duties.

Leave one month and seven days to 1st Lt. F. R. Undritz, Inf., about June 17.

Officers relieved from assignment to the regiment indicated, and to duty as Asst. P.M.S.T., Indiana University, Bloomington: Capt. G. C. Cleaver, 18th Inf.; J. W. McCormick and J. C. Blizzard, jr., 4th Inf.

Maj. H. W. Harms, A.S., about June 15, report to C.O. Langley Field, Va., for duty.



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